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## S.M.P. & Japanese Clash On Bridge Incident

SHANGHAI, YESTERDAY. THE JAPANESE NAVAL AUTHORITIES ARE MAKING STRONG REPRESENTATIONS TO THE SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL REGARDING YESTERDAY'S GARDEN BRIDGE INCIDENT. IT WAS OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED TO-DAY.

According to the Japanese authorities, the woman was walking on the right hand side of the bridge, when she was signalled by a Japanese sentry to proceed to the left hand side. She did as instructed.

Upon seeing this, a British police sergeant went out of his way to overtake the woman, brought her back, and made her walk on the right hand side.

"Why the police sergeant did this provocative action is unknown but it was this unnecessary provocation that caused the trouble.

It would appear that the police sergeant "went out of his way to create an incident."

### ACTION DEMANDED

On the basis of these findings, the Japanese authorities are demanding from the Shanghai Municipal Council that the "strongest disciplinary" action be taken against the policeman concerned. The Japanese authorities categorically deny that the woman was touched or manhandled in any way.

The S.M.C. police have already drawn up a report which states that:

They are satisfied that the British policeman's evidence is correct. Namely:

That the woman was bodily removed by the Japanese and sent from the right hand to the left hand side of the bridge and that only upon this, that the policeman intervened;

That he in no way attempted to take the woman back to the right hand side of the bridge;

That his attitude was perfectly correct and unprovocative throughout;

That he did not even attempt to resist when he was struck by Japanese sentries.

The report further reveals that the policeman was struck on the legs by a stick and had his belt and buttons ripped off him.—Reuter.

## IN A LITTLE SPANISH TOWN

London, Yesterday. The picturesque town of Falset, 30 miles from the Ebro Front, has been largely reduced to ruins by three insurgent air raids to-day, according to a message from Barcelona.

The casualties so far are reported as 95 killed and 106 injured, including many insurgent troops taken prisoner during the Loyalist advance in the Ebro zone.—Reuter.

## BREMEN GOES AGROUND

London, Yesterday. The German liner "Bremen" ran aground in a mud-bank outside Southampton, but 20 minutes later was re-floated without assistance.—Reuter.

# OMINOUS CLUE TO CLIPPER FATE

## Giant Flyingboat Feared Lost With All Aboard



One of the last pictures taken in Hong Kong of the Hawaii Clipper moving into the pontoon at Kai Tak. There is grave reason to fear that she has been lost with all aboard in a sudden violent storm. (Ming Yuen).

## HUGE OILPATCH FOUND 60 MILES FROM COURSE

Manila, Yesterday. An oil-patch 1,500 feet in circumference, 60 miles west of the position from which the Captain of the missing Hawaii Clipper last broadcast, has been reported by the United States transport "Meigs," indicating that the plane has almost for a certainty sunk, taking all aboard with her.

A similar oil-patch was the first clue to the disaster of the plane "Samoan" Clipper which exploded in midair in the course of an experimental flight to New Zealand in January last.

The transport "Meigs" has lowered a boat to take samples of the oil, but no wreckage has been found yet.

The discovery followed a large-scale search for the missing Clipper, made by the U.S. Transport "Meigs" which spent the night and morning zig-zagging in the vicinity where the Clipper was last reported, sweeping the Pacific with powerful search-lights and sending off rockets and parachute flares.

All sailors on shore-leave in Manila had meanwhile been recalled to their ships.

### NAVAL HUNT

By 1.30 a.m. to-day the harbour was cleared of every available naval craft, including the aircraft tender "Heron," which was carrying two amphibian planes and the submarine tender "Canopus," the rescue vessel, "Pidgeon" and the minesweepers, "Finch" and "Bitten" and six submarines.

The United States Army also assisted the search, dispatching six long-range bombers at 6.30 a.m., as well as two amphibians, the latter confining their activities to waters close to the Philippines.

Any hope of finding the Hawaii Clipper was chiefly placed on the "Meigs" and the bombers, since the naval vessels could not reach the spot where the Clipper was last heard from, before Sunday at noon.

### TELEPHONE REPORT

An earlier message from Manila stated that an employee of the

## PAN-AMERICAN REFUSE TO GIVE UP HOPE

San Francisco, Yesterday. Pan-American Airways state that they have not given up hope for the clipper and express the belief that the oil patch found may have been due to oil dumped for an emergency landing.—Reuter.

Philippine Telephone Company had reported that he heard a plane flying in a westerly direction over Luzon Island three hours after the missing Hawaii Clipper last gave out its position.

This gave rise to hope that the plane had merely missed its course, but the later news damped all hopes.

Rumours circulating in New York's Chinatown that the plane may possibly have been sabotaged are ridiculed by officials and ascribed to the fact that one of the passengers, Mr. Choy Wah-sun, of New York, a well-known restaurant proprietor, was taking a large sum of money to China.

The money was subscribed by Chinese merchants in the United States and was intended to swell China's war chest.—Reuter.

## WAR CLOUDS LOOM

### Tokyo Taking Grave View Of New Border Clash

Tokyo, Yesterday.

Atmosphere in official quarters is grave following receipt of latest reports of developments on the Soviet-Manchukuo frontier.

Well-informed quarters stated to-night that there was reason to believe that the fresh incident was regarded very seriously by Japanese official quarters.

Japanese military officers on the spot, stated a spokesman, had been exercising "self-restraint and patience" in connection with the alleged Soviet occupation of Changkufang Hill on July 12. They sought to arrive at a settlement of the affair through diplomatic negotiations with the Soviets.

"Apparently mistaking Japanese patience and self-restraint as an indication that Japanese policy has become weakened, Soviet troops again crossed the border on July 27, and started the construction of military works south of Sha Tsao Ping and north of Changkufang Hill."

It is stated that Japanese and Manchukuo forces were ordered into action and "repulsed the Soviet invaders." — Reuter.

## MOSCOW PROTESTS

Moscow, Yesterday.

The Soviet Government has instructed the Charge D'Affaires at Tokyo, M. Smetanin, to lodge an energetic protest against the violation of the Soviet frontier by Japanese and Manchukuo troops on Friday, demanding the severest punishment of the guilty.

At the same time the Charge D'Affaires is to point out that the Japanese and Manchukuo Governments will bear full responsibility for the consequences of the frontier violation which, in the official Soviet

the Democracy of the unity between the leader and the people; the Democracy of the authoritarian character which makes it possible to tackle problems and to solve them." — Trans-Ocean.

## SEVERE BATTLE BENEATH KULING

Hankow, Yesterday.

Severe fighting is taking place at the foot of Kuling, in the vicinity of Lien Hua-tung (Cave of Lotus) where visitors must forsake their motor cars and begin climbing the winding steps.

The scene of the fighting is approximately ten kilometres south of Kukiang, with the Japanese forces fighting desperately for possession.

Meanwhile, the Chinese forces below Kukiang have commenced an offensive on the Japanese positions in the vicinity of Pengtash and Hukou in an attempt to threaten the Japanese rear.—Reuter.

## FOREIGN OFFICE LEAVES HANKOW

Hankow, Yesterday.

The Chinese Foreign Office closed its Hankow office to-day with the departure this morning by air to Chungking of the final batch of its staff, including Mr. Li Ti-tsun, Director of Publicity and Intelligence Department of the Foreign Office.

The Executive Yuan staff have already left, but Dr. H.H. Kung is still here. He is expected to leave for Chungking on August 5.

Mr. Wang Chung-hui, the Foreign Minister departed yesterday.—Reuter.

four killed and 16 injured.—Reuter.

## 300 CASUALTIES IN RANGOON RIOTS

Rangoon, Yesterday.

Despite improvement, isolated assaults on the outskirts of the city continue.

One Burman was seriously injured when the police opened fire in the suburb of Rangoon early this morning.

The official casualties of the five days' rioting are 53 killed and 270 injured.

Military police fired on mobs in four different parts of the city overnight with the total of

## Wiedemann Visit To Paris Denied

Paris, Yesterday.

English press reports that Chancellor Hitler's Adjutant, Captain Wiedemann is now staying incognito in Paris are emphatically denied alike by French authorities and by the German Embassy.

It is stated by the Embassy that, not only had Captain Wiedemann not been in Paris, but that he was not expected at any rate, in the near future.

The reports in question, apparently gained currency owing to the rumour that Princess Hohenlohe who is usually Captain Wiedemann's hostess in London, had come to Paris, staying at the hotel Ritz.

Enquiries at the hotel elicited the information that the Princess had made a short stay there, but had already left for an unknown destination.—Trans-Ocean.

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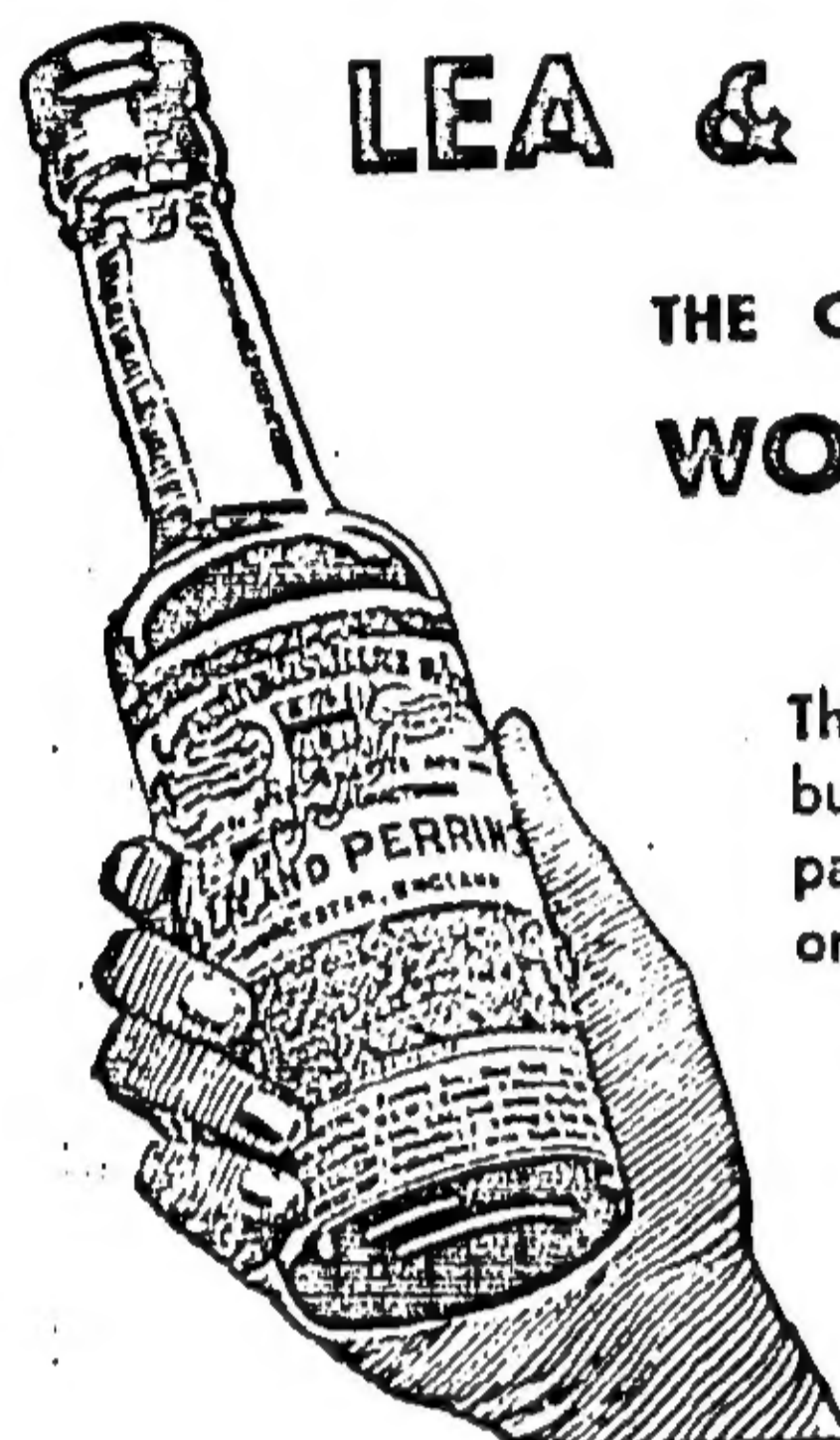
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## BRIGHTER BLOUSES

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A CHANGE of blouse from time to time means an easy and yet effective alteration in one's wardrobe, as different blouses can be worn with the same suit for various occasions. Above the waistline to-day everything is being done to give roundness to the bust. Jabots and frills and bibs are freely used, whole shirts and blouses are set in with tucks or pleats, which throw them forward from the neck or shoulder.

Simple blouses for informal parties and more glamorous affairs of lace, or richly-beaded tulle, fulfil the requirements of more festive evenings.

Blouse for the new season can be worn outside the skirts or tucked inside but all fit closely into the waist.

Some lovely little blouses of flesh-coloured tulle beaded with iridescent beads in shaded tones of pink were much admired at a fashion showing. These were made to go with black antelope crepe jackets and skirts. The jacket is sometimes fitted with a slight blouse and lined to match the colour of the blouse it accompanies.

Again, the wrap may be in the form of a cape which drapes the bodice in such a manner that a little bolero is suggested. A certain amount of femininity is always accentuated in this way and the lines are never kept too severe.

Mole grey velvet is a favourite colour for blouses, to be worn with a little coat in a con-

trasting colour, dark green for instance, and a skirt of the same colour.

Skirts this season for day wear are very much shorter, for afternoon they are a little bit longer and a few trains are still featured for evening.

Necklines are high for all hours of the day, and sleeves taper from width in the upper arm down to tight wrists. There are quite a number of raglan sleeves, too, and basques are featured on certain afternoon and evening jackets.

Blouses are particularly well studied and many have raglan sleeves. The majority of the new blouses are high at the neck and fitted, with long simple sleeves. Muslins are also seen in the blouse world.

Rich red and golden yellow stripes, black and yellow, and a red seal print on a silver grey taffeta were outstanding models which caused some excitement at a recent opening.

Some of the evening skirts are much shorter in front and trail at the back, and several of the new evening dresses have skirts with two trains, leaving the heels in evidence through slashes in the centre back, as the toes are shown through corresponding front slashes.

Colours And Sparkle To Eyes

The idea that only blondes should wear blue, and that red is strictly a brunette's colour, is wrong. Shade, as a matter of fact, is far more important than hue.

A blonde, for instance, in lovely light blue and navy blues, but if you put a brilliant blue on a blonde with light blue eyes, the brilliance of that blue is likely to fade the eye colouring.



The dress then becomes a liability, as the eyes are the most important feature, and therefore should not be completely overshadowed.

The ideal way for a blonde to dress is in either dark or light colours, used together or alone. Blondes can easily be made to look faded and somewhat common in appearance, unless colours are carefully selected.

Brunettes, on the other hand, require brilliance. Exactly the same colours which would be lovely on a blonde are deadening on a brunette. The more brilliant the colour, the more vivacious the typical brunette appears.

Red hair is an asset, it would seem, rather than a liability if the owner of the red hair learns the elementary facts of colour-harmony. If she realises, first, that her hair is orange, not red, and, second, such simple laws of colour as that orange, yellow and Chartreuse are harmonious, she will use the three as a colour combination in perhaps a print, with brown accessories.

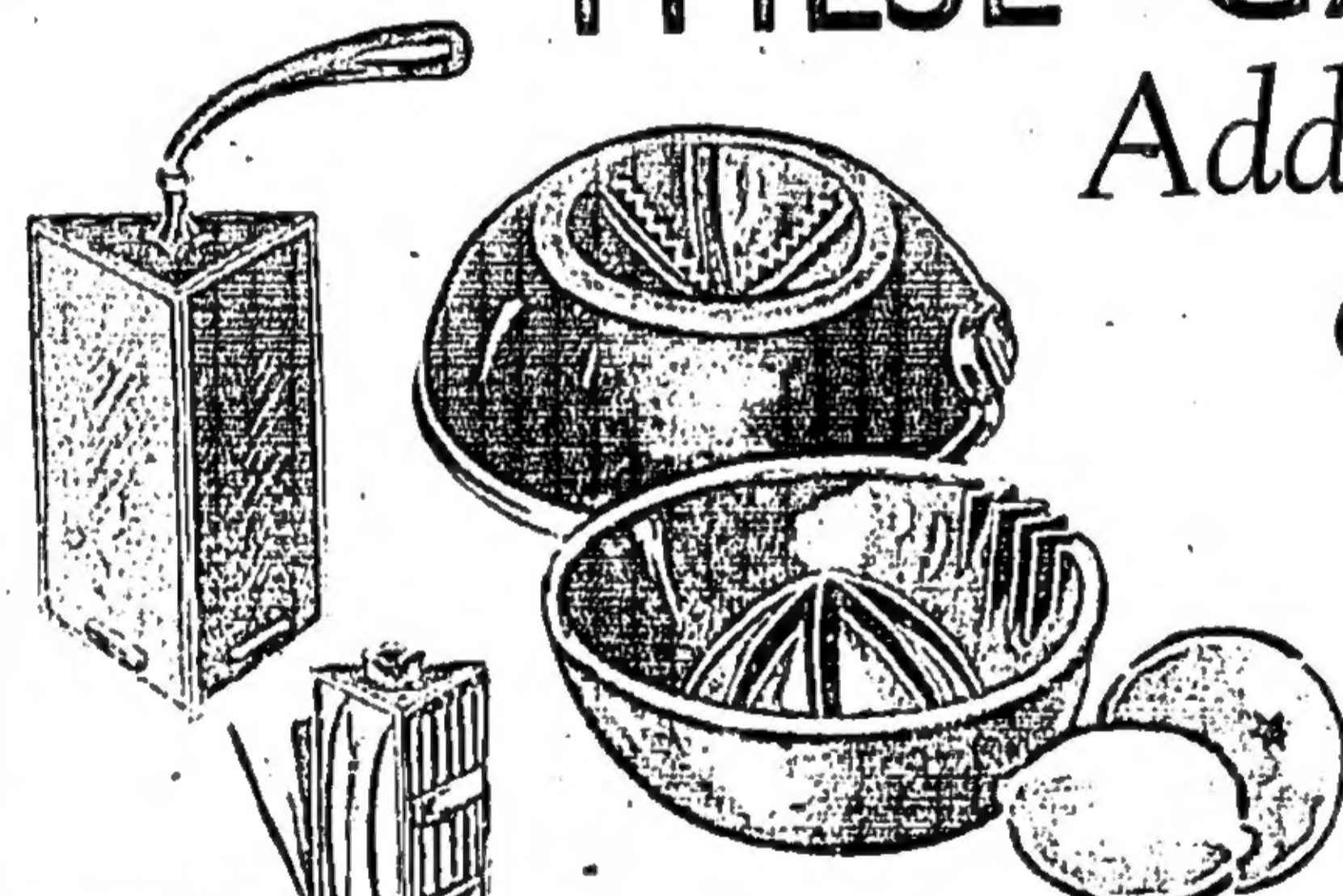
In conclusion, I think it may be said that it is quite impossible to classify the medium type, as it would probably be easy to find at least a dozen with eyes that are brown, blue, green or hazel, hair that is reddish, blonde or definitely brown, and skin that is sallow, ruddy or freckled.

## Try This Baked Cauliflower

Take 1 large cauliflower,  
1½oz butter, 5oz flour, 1 pint  
milk, 1½oz grated cheese,  
breadcrumbs, salt and pepper.

Boil the cauliflower in salted boiling water, taking care not to over-cook it. When ready, lift it out of the saucepan carefully, drain it thoroughly, and place on a well-buttered fire-proof dish. Melt one ounce of butter in a saucepan, stir in the flour, add the milk, and bring to the boil, stirring all the time; simmer for five minutes, then season with salt and pepper, and add one ounce of cheese; pour this sauce carefully over the cauliflower, sprinkle with grated cheese and a few breadcrumbs, put a few bits of butter on top, and place in a hot oven for about ten minutes. Serve very hot.

## THESE GADGETS Add to the Joy of Life



Principle of working is quite original—it is built from America—but supremely simple.

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Vanity case (third sketch) is in green

FEW craftsmen are so handicapped by inconvenient and out-of-date surroundings as is the average woman. But with colossal patience, housewives continue to produce miracles of cooking, washing and housework under the least favourable and most exacting conditions, while labour-saving homes remain the privilege of a very slowly increasing minority of women.

That is why gadgets are so important. They cannot put taps where taps don't exist, or lower the height of a sink, but, chosen with care, they can do a great deal to lighten labour.

A short tour of the shops brought me face to face with a new crop of these minor inventions which add so much to the joy of life, some of them aids to the housewife, others aids to the business woman and even aids to vanity, which mean a good deal to most women.

First of them is particularly appropriate during these warm days with fruit a health necessity. It is the squeezer, grater, and strainer combined, centre of the three illustrations above.

You cut a small part off the top of lemon or orange, insert the grater on a slant and turn, then shake out evenly ground rind.

After squeezing in the ordinary way, the fruit juice is poured through the strainer with the result that you waste a minimum of time and fruit. Simple, but so practical.

## SOME INTERESTING RECIPES

### Spanish Tortillas

Take some slices of white bread and cut into neat squares. Beat one egg and a cup of milk together in a soup plate and dip the slices in this. Drain them and then fry in olive oil or butter. Sprinkle them with sugar and nutmeg or cinnamon and serve immediately very hot.

### Summer Pudding

Grease a pudding bowl, and line it with thin slices of stale bread. Fill with well-seasoned, lightly stewed soft fruit, such as red or white currants, raspberries, or cherries. Cover with a slice of bread. Lay a plate on top and turn out when quite cold. Serve with cream or custard.

### Cherry Pudding

Cut thin slices of stale, white bread, and lay in a glass dish. Siew 10 cherries with plenty of sugar for 10 or 15 minutes. Pour over the bread in the dish as soon as the fruit is sufficiently cool to avoid cracking the dish. Cover thickly with whipped cream and serve cold.

### Strawberry Shortcake

Sift two breakfast cups of flour with one teaspoonful baking powder and a pinch of salt. Rub in lightly 2oz. butter. Moisten with sufficient milk to

make a soft dough. Roll out lightly to 1in. in thickness, and divide into two equal portions. Brush one with butter, and lay the other on top. Cut in round or square shapes, and bake in a good oven till golden brown, about 15 minutes. Then split and butter and put crushed and well-sugared strawberries between and on top. These cakes should be baked just before they are to be eaten, and served fresh and hot. The recipe is equally good for raspberries.

### Apple Snow

Peel and grate a large sour apple, sprinkling it with castor sugar during the process, to prevent it turning dark; allow about 6oz. sugar to an apple weighing roughly half a pound. Add the whites of two eggs unbeaten, and whisk well for at least 10 minutes. Serve heaped in a glass dish with a custard made with the egg yolks and half a pint of milk.

### Apricot Charlotte

Soak 1lb. of dried apricots in cold water. Add sugar and simmer till tender. Thickly butter a pie dish. Sprinkle with plenty of Demarara sugar. Line dish with thin slices of bread, and pour in the hot fruit. Cover with slices of bread. Cover with a plate and bake in a quick oven.

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## DALAT

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**SITUATED** on the Langbian Plateau, 189 miles by car from Saigon, lies Dalat, beautiful mountain resort of Indo-China.

For scenic beauty, with its lakes and surrounding pine woods, it has a grandeur all its own, a charm seldom found in the East and, above all, a refreshing climate that dispels jaded spirits.

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I arrived there from Saigon at 5 p.m., after a 6½-hour car journey, five hours of which were through the plains with their thick jungle—the remaining hour was spent climbing the mountains surrounding Dalat. The sun was just going down behind the Langbian Peaks, but its glow on the lake did something to check the chill we both felt as we reached our goal, 5,000 feet above sea level.

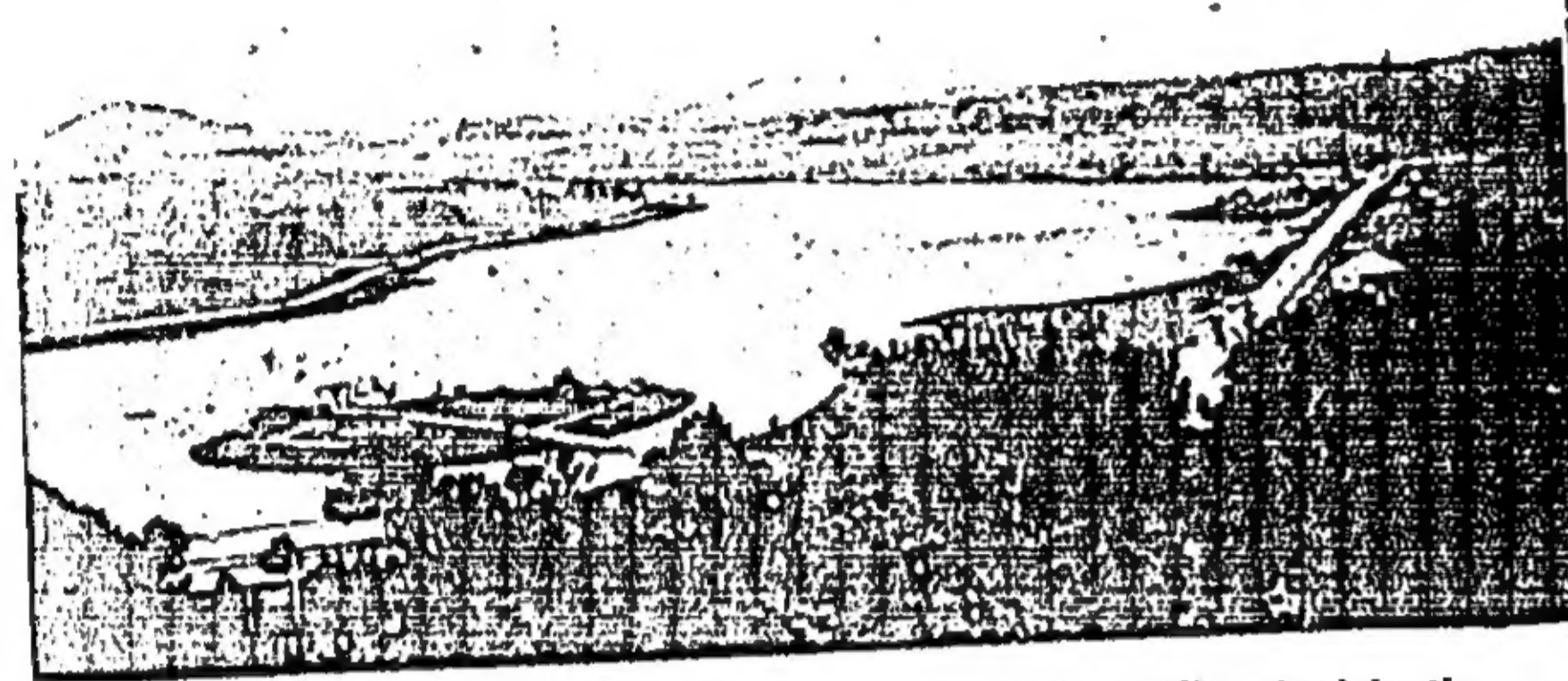
On being shown to our room, which in reality was a suite, we were surprised to find that mosquito nets were above the beds, but we did not bother about what we considered was nothing more than a show of linen. We were to learn that they would be a distinct necessity in a very short while. The mosquitoes there are much bigger than those to be found in Hong Kong and even more ferocious. This, in fact, was the only grouse we had on the whole trip, and I advise anyone going up to include a bottle of citronella in their bags.

We just had time to get our bearings before it was dark—the town half a mile away, the golf and swimming clubs right opposite and the tennis club a stone's throw to the right. French cocktails, dancing and a scrumptious dinner finished off an eventful day.

We awoke next morning at 7 o'clock to find a hot sun pouring its rays through the hundred and one windows of our suite and, after a cold shower we were only too pleased to get in a set or two of tennis to restore the circulation. The day is hottest between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m., after which it is beautifully cool—quite cool enough for sweater and tweeds.

We followed this early morning routine throughout our all-too-short stay and spent the remainder of the days seeing the sights—encenders and rapids—by car, walking, riding horses, bicycling and bathing. Dalat offers numerous attractions and the tragedy is that all too little can be done in a day.

**DJIRING**, a resort 50 miles near Saigon, is a village of the old world type with its wooden shanty restaurant in which one expects to hear how Diamond Joe met his fate after producing five aces. Revolvers on the table were the only additions required to complete a Zane Grey picture of the Wild West. They put up an excellent cold collation, however.



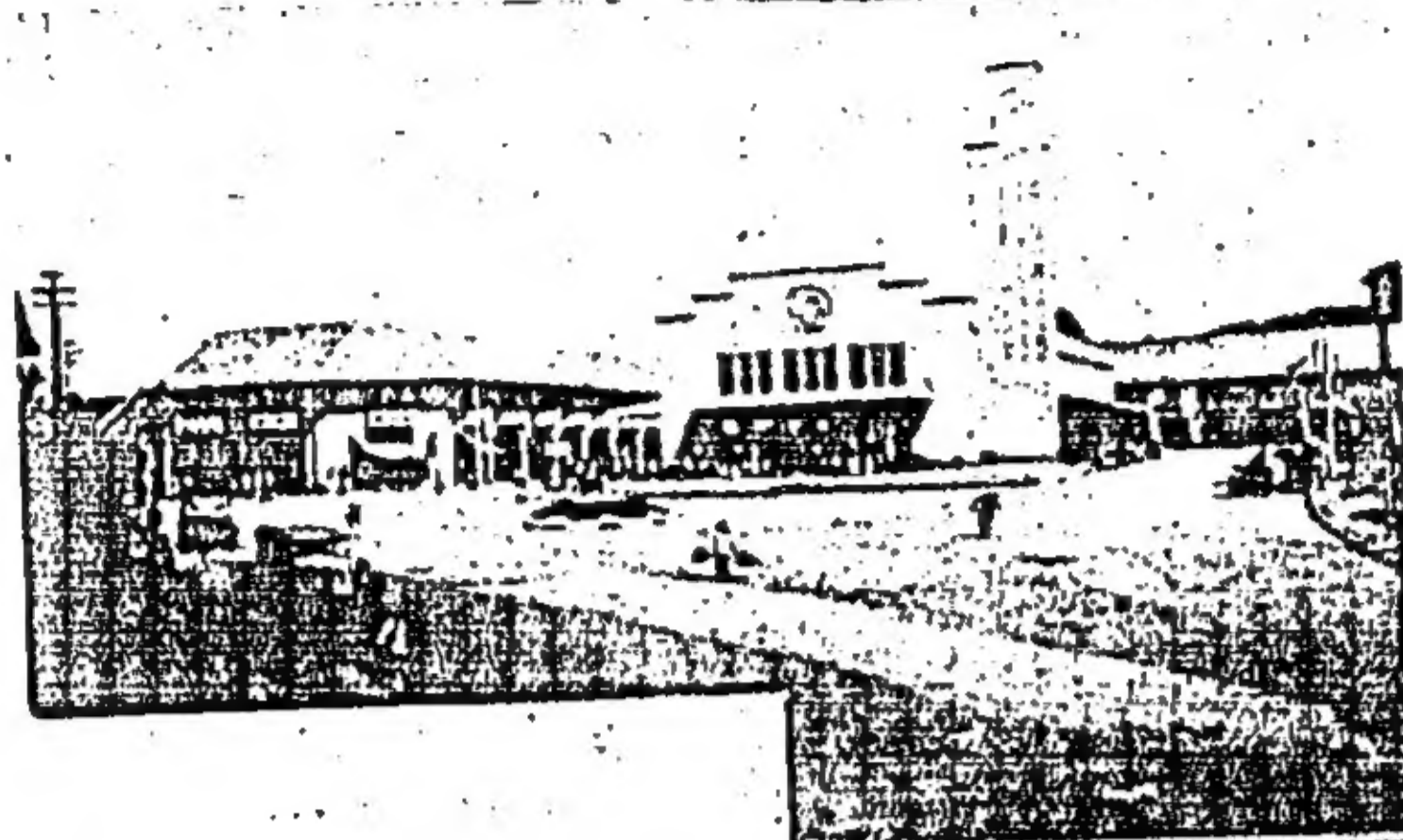
A view of the lake at Dalat looking towards the public school in the background. The swimming club can be seen at the left, while the nine hole golf course is on the other side of the lake on the right.

but their cellar was certainly the au revoir of the Grillet family. Another quaint little hamlet is Grillet, where there is a small

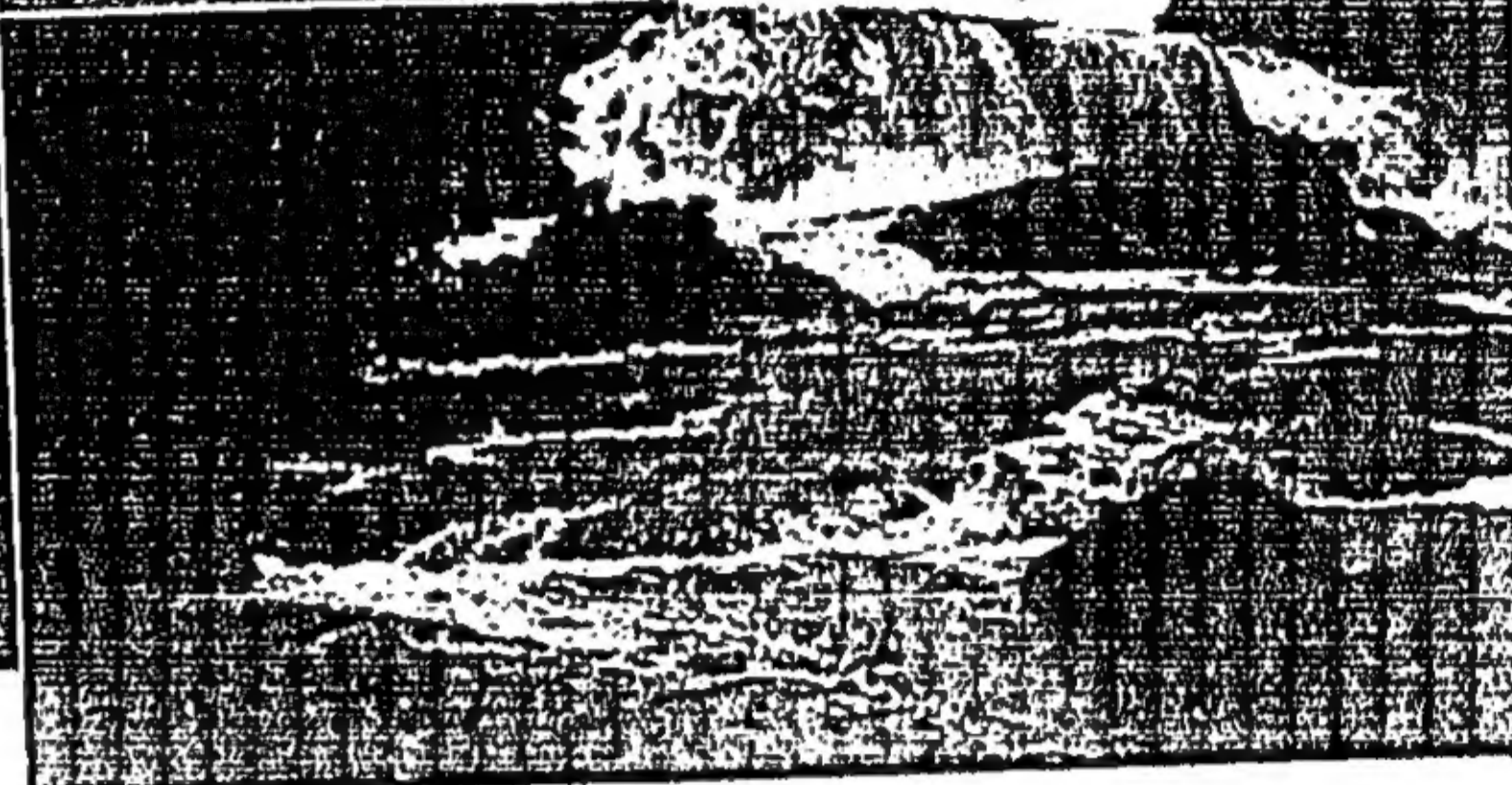
## Holiday de Luxe At Dalat

### Mountain Garden Of Eden Of The East

dairy run by a Frenchman, his street, and named it Le Grand Hotel du Parc. To-day these two drien ranging from about two are quite the best known and, years to 22 years. After inspecting the herd, the poultry and a can safely say that the tame rabbit warren, we were given Langbian Palace, though the man could desire. It certainly quite the best hotel I have stayed helped us on our long trek back to at in the Far East. Under a highly



(Left)—The market in the central building in the small town of Dalat.



One of the many waterfalls that can be seen near Dalat.

DALAT is a comparatively new settlement. A medical mission made the arduous and definitely dangerous journey there, through the dense jungle, in 1901, and were so impressed with the grandeur of the site surrounding the mountain lake that they established a small settlement comprising eight houses and recommended to the Government that sanitary excavations be carried out.

The Government, however, did not show any great interest in the small party, and in 1902 the mission's funds were exhausted. The houses were maintained, but no improvements were possible. Ten years later, Governor-General Albert Sarraut, soon after his appointment, showed his appreciation of the 1901 expedition by granting large sums of money for the construction of a road from Saigon to Dalat, a distance of 189½ miles through almost impenetrable jungle. His ambition was to build a sanatorium in the mountains, but this hope was not realized in Dalat, though a sanatorium was early in existence close to Djiring, some 50 miles from Dalat and at an altitude of 4,500 feet.

In 1915, due to the War, holidays abroad were cancelled, and Dalat, which was now becoming a fairly large settlement, proved to be the ideal solution for residents in Indo-China. The much colder climate, which acted as a splendid restorative to anaemia, soon popularized the mountain settlement beyond the dreams of the early medical mission and the result was that residences sprang up like mushrooms and Dalat became, almost overnight, a Summer resort.

Ground was extremely cheap and labour was even cheaper, so it was not surprising when, in 1917, the Langbian Palace Hotel, named after the plateau on which it stands, was constructed at comparatively great expense. The Hotel Desanti was in existence long before this, and was naturally on a much smaller scale than the palatial Langbian Palace, which is built on the lines of a large French chateau.

During the season, January to May, there are probably 600 Europeans in residence at Dalat, but during the remainder of the year there are not many more than 100, of whom at least 80 are French. There is a military camp on the outskirts of Dalat and it is not an unusual sight to see a troop of cavalry on exercises in the mountains.

**T**he opening of the Langbian Palace resulted in many more people visiting Dalat, and the tourist traffic became so good that the proprietors of this hotel built yet another, just across the

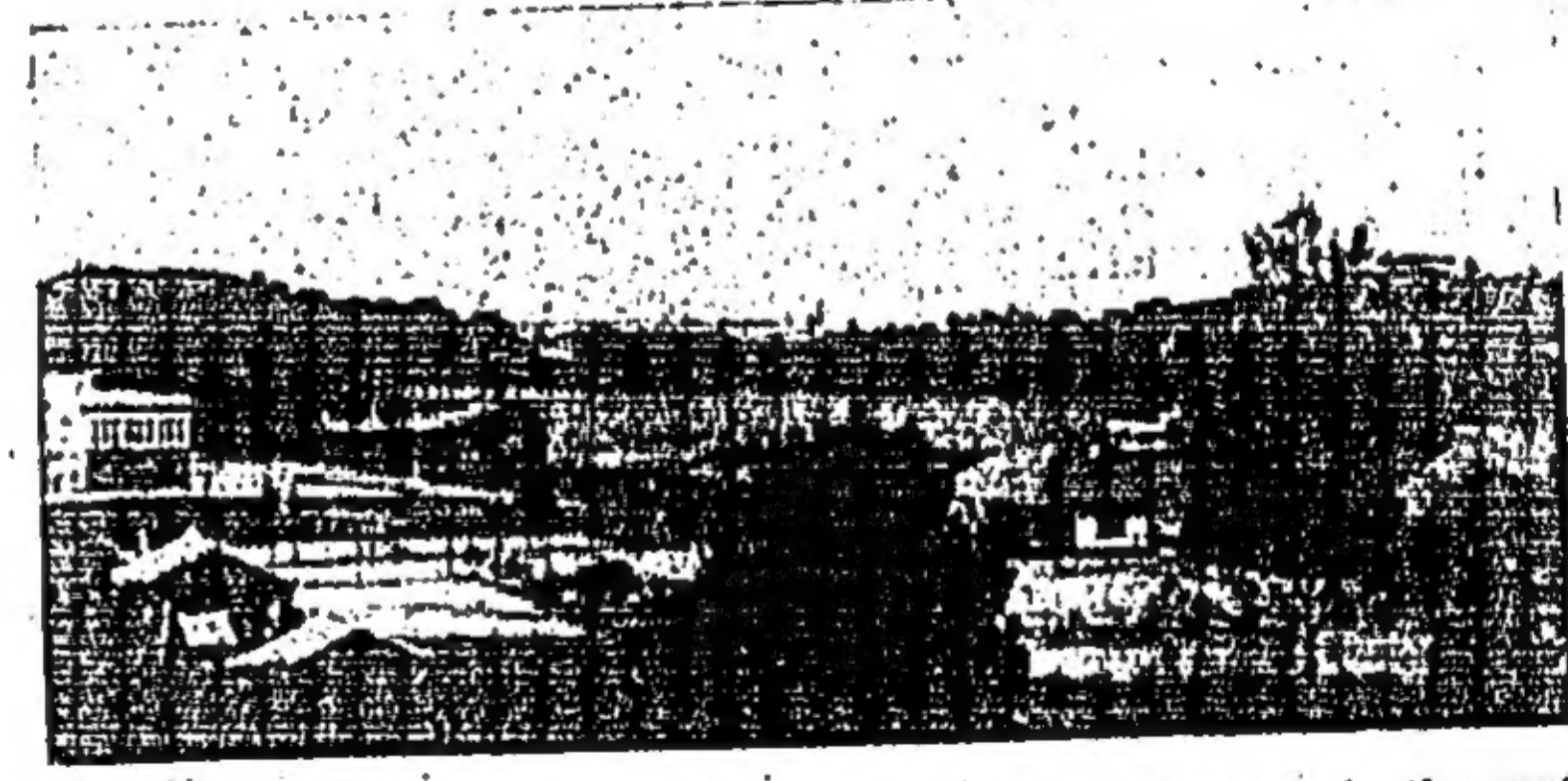
paid French chef, the cuisine is not to confuse them with the perfection. Cleanliness, variety, quality and quantity are the watchwords.

The hotel is naturally under French management and the well-trained servants are Annamites. To-day Dalat is visited each Summer by the highest officials of Indo-China, including the Governor-General of Cochinchina and Indo-China, the Emperor of Annam, who has a very valuable stud of horses there, all the Consuls stationed at Saigon and even

**By A Special Correspondent**

many well-known Chinese who have left their war-torn shores.

**F**RENCH missionaries have a story I was told about a "sportsman" who visited Dalat and was there is also an American Mission. There are two schools there, one run by missionaries and the other by the Government, named Le Lycee Yersin de Dalat after the discoverer of Dalat in 1893, Dr. Alexandre Yersin. The latter, a



A view of the lake at Dalat, looking towards the town in the centre background. In the foreground is the Social Club with its three concrete tennis courts, while the Swimming Club can be seen jutting out on the lake on the right.

public school, sets a particularly high standard and is spoken of very highly throughout Indo-China.

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Dalat also has its own aviation ground, situated some two miles

from the town, but only private planes make use of it.

The town of Dalat comprises a large market, housed in a very modern building, and the usual native stores at which you can purchase anything you like, including best class champagne at H.K.\$3.50 a bottle! Transport for those without cars includes pony-drawn buggies, rickshaws and bicycles.

Apart from the main hotels, Langbian Palace, Park and Desanti, there are numerous small hotels for natives, while bungalows can be hired for \$120.00 per month or as cheap as \$60.00 per month per year.

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**E**VERY vegetable imaginable grows round Dalat and the strawberries are particularly luscious during their season. Fruits, however, have not been cultivated as much as one would expect, and the specialty is oranges grown by the Moïs, who I will call the jungle men so as

man and the customary servant, and the Moï, a wild-looking specimen never without his spear and bow and arrows. The Moï hates the Annamite, but he is obedient to the French. It is interesting when travelling by car to see how quick they get off the road at the sound of the horn. If you did not see them before the horn was blown you would not know you had passed them as they got right into the jungle and peer furtively through the foliage at you as you pass. Our car developed engine trouble three times on our way back to Saigon, but, fortunately, nowhere near any of these jungle men.

I must pay tribute to the upkeep of the highways. The long

Two Moï women, here a trifle overdressed, pose for the camera.



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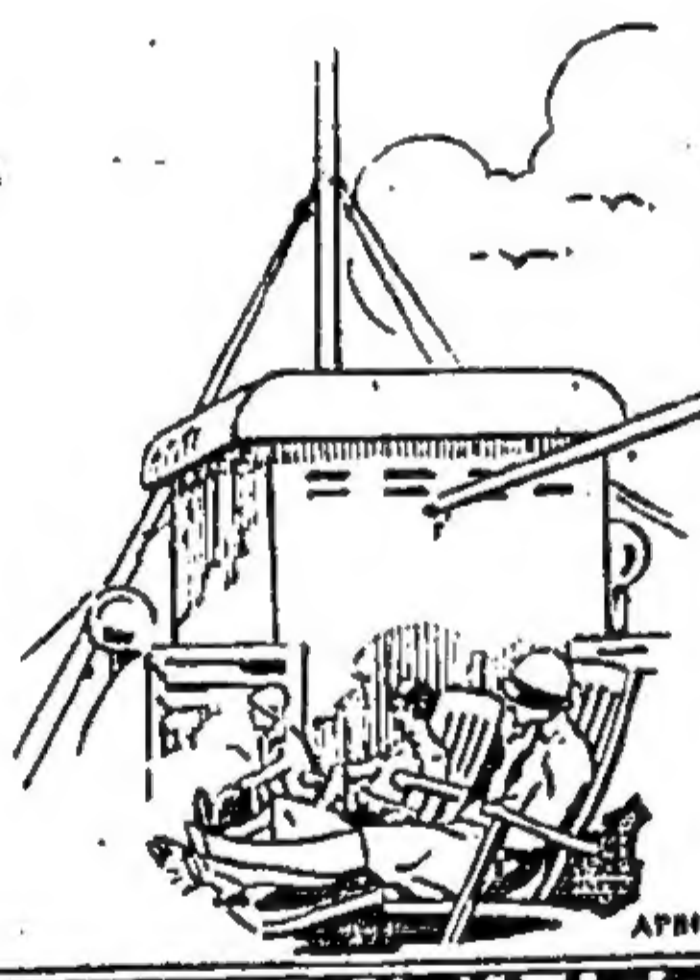
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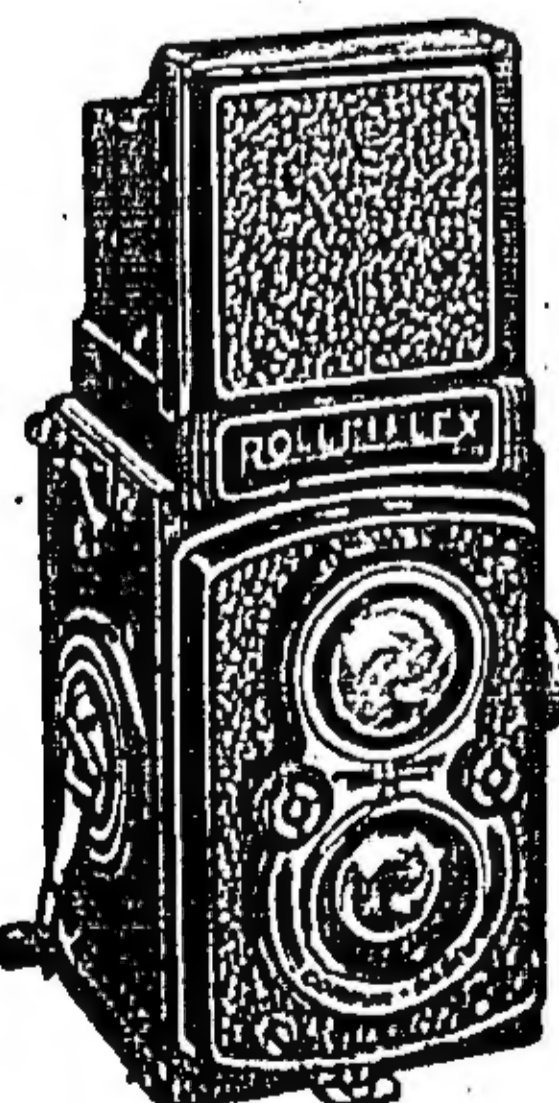
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# HANKOW FOREIGNERS GETTING PREPARED

Settlements Barricaded: Many Join Auxiliary Police Corps And Fire Brigade

## Chinese Ministers Moving On To Chungking

Hankow, Yesterday.  
The Chinese Foreign Minister, Dr. Wang Chung-hui left Hankow on Friday for Chungking, the new capital in Szechuan Province. The transfer of other Ministries and non-military branches of the Administration has been arranged to take place not later than August 3. The military authorities will remain at Hankow. Foreign diplomatic missions are planning to remove their offices to Szechuan before the middle of August.

## SYRIA TO MERGE WITH IRAQ?

Damascus, Yesterday.

The President of the Iraqi Parliament, Mawloud Moukhliss has arrived here and the Iraqi Premier, Gemil Elmadfai is expected here very shortly.

Although nothing has been officially stated concerning their visit, it is believed in foreign circles here that the visit is connected with the conference that at the present is taking place at Beirut. This conference, which is said to be entirely unofficial, is attended by a number of the leading personalities of Syria and Iraq, with the object of discussing the question of merging the two countries into a single Federal State.

It is affirmed that the conference is also attended by a British political personality who is alleged to have given his assent to the proposal.

### SYRIA'S STATUS

Ever since the Franco-Turkish Agreement on the subject of Sanjak Alexandretta, rumours have been current regarding the possible modification of the political status of Syria and these rumours have gained ground in view of the report that the French Government contemplated detaching that part of Syria bordering the Mediterranean. That report has hitherto neither been denied nor confirmed in French Official quarters.—Trans-Ocean.

The French steamer, Fukien, which will be used for transport has already arrived at Hankow where the evacuation of civilian population is being speeded up following the capture of Kiukiang by the Japanese although no feeling of panic prevails.

The exodus of a large part of the population has become distinctly visible in street life and business.

The foreign colony at Hankow numbers still approximately 1,000.

### TRAIN FOR H. K.

Another international train will leave for Hong Kong on July 31st, one of the last opportunities for foreigners to leave Hankow in a southern direction.

Following the example of the French Settlement, the former British and former Russian Settlements are in meantime barricading all approaches and protecting the boundaries with barbed wire entanglements. Plans are being made to include the former German Settlement in the special zone which includes the British and Russian Settlements.

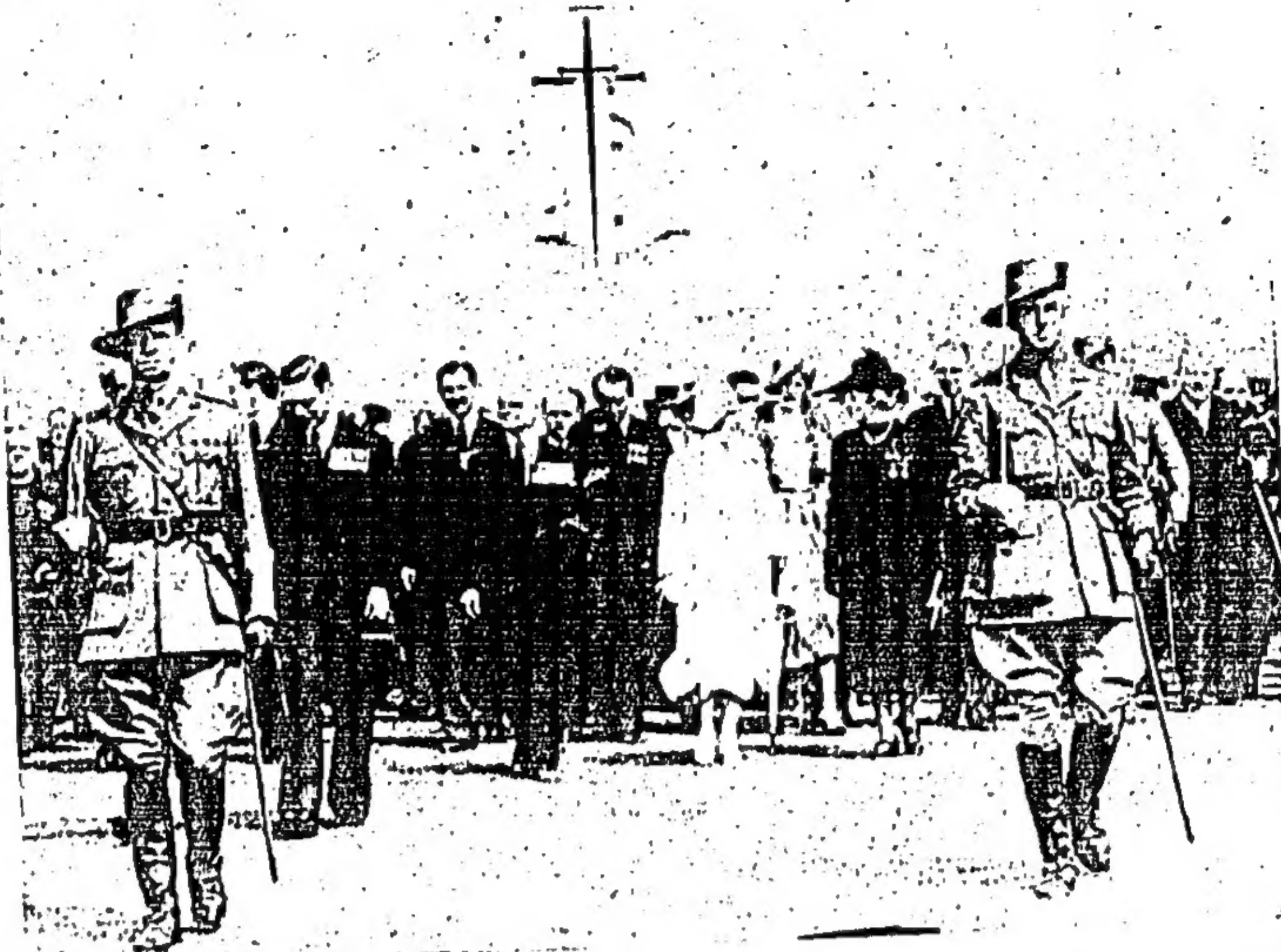
### FOREIGN CO-OPERATION

The Chinese and Japanese authorities have been requested to recognize these three former foreign Settlements as a special zone which is to be extended to the Peiping-Hankow Railway in order to establish refugee camps.

Moreover the foreign colony, with exemplary co-operation of all nationalities is organising a foreign auxiliary police, an auxiliary fire brigade and a Committee for Refugee Relief.—Trans-Ocean.

### CHOLERA

Only two cases of cholera, one in Victoria and one in Kowloon, were notified in the 24 hours ended midnight Friday. There were also two typhoid victims.



KING UNVEILS AUSTRALIAN WAR MEMORIAL. His Majesty the King last Friday unveiled the Australian War Memorial at Villers-Bretonneux. Photo shows a close-up of Their Majesties during the ceremony. (Copyright. By Air Mail).

## MUSSOLINI DISLIKES SUGGESTION

ROME, YESTERDAY.

MUSSOLINI REPLIED TO-DAY TO AN ATTACK MADE BY POPE PIUS, XI ON FRIDAY ON THE RACIAL POLICY OF FASCISM.

After inspecting a Youth Camp at Forlì, Mussolini in addressing the Youths and their Leaders said: "Everyone must know that also in the racial question we shall unswervingly pursue our own course. To say that Fascism has copied anybody or anything is simply absurd."

It will be recalled that the Holy Father, in an address to the pupils of "Propaganda Fide," said that one must ask oneself why it was necessary for Italy to have given such a shameful example of imitation of Germany.—Trans-Ocean.

## VERANDAH'S COLLAPSE

A verandah on the first floor of No. 20, Upper Lascar Road, collapsed yesterday afternoon while two Chinese carpenters were repairing it.

Both men, Cheng Kan and Sze-to Kwong, were admitted to the Queen Mary Hospital, the first suffering from serious head injuries.

The other's left leg was broken.

# Japanese Firmly Held In Stiff Fighting Along The Yangtse

Chinese Making Full Use Of Mountainous Country

## MAKING BID TO CUT THE HANKOW-CANTON RAILWAY

Hankow, Yesterday.

Fierce fighting continues on the north and south of the Yangtse, but no apparent advantage has been gained by either side in the last twenty-four hours, according to the latest reports received to-night.

Japanese troops in the vicinity of the Anhwei-Hupeh frontier, are being held in check by Chinese forces and a murderous artillery duel is being kept up.

An attempt made by the Japanese troops to land on the north shore of Yangtse near Hsiachikow opposite Kiukiang was frustrated.

The Japanese south of the Yangtse are engaged in operations between Kiukiang and Kutang, but are finding their task extremely difficult owing to the mountainous nature of the country of which mobile Chinese units are taking full advantage.

The Chinese are also holding up the Japanese advance on Singtze, in the vicinity of which the Japanese are unable to land troops.

### PLANES ACTIVE

Japanese aeroplanes were extremely active in the Kiukiang sector, having dropped a large number of bombs on the villages situated on the railway from Kiukiang to Nanchang, from which Chinese military circles conclude that the Japanese troops intend to advance in the direction of Nanchang.

The Chinese consider that the Japanese bombardment of Yangsiang, half way between Kiukiang and Singtze is an indication that the Japanese intend to push eastward through Singtze and on to the Hankow-Canton Railway in order to cut off traffic.—Trans-Ocean.

### FOREIGNERS SAFE

More than 300 foreigners are safe and sound at the summer resort, Kuling, near Kiukiang, according to the Japanese Consul, Mr. Shochi Tanaka, who has taken up duties at Kiukiang. The Consul added that the Japanese authorities would protect foreigners.

The building of the Japanese Consulate at Kiukiang has not been damaged but number of Japanese private houses have been looted and several of them burnt.—Trans-Ocean.

## TRAINS BOMBED ON RAILWAY

Canton, Yesterday.

The Canton-Hankow railway is disrupted temporarily owing to the bombing outside Changsha yesterday by Japanese planes of trains to Canton.

No official information is available but private reports states that casualty lists are very heavy and the track has been badly damaged.—From Our Staff Representative.

## IRAQ OIL CONCESSION

Baghdad, Yesterday.

It is announced here that the Iraq Government has signed an agreement with representative of the Iraq Oil Company which grants that company a concession for the exploitation of the oil fields in the district of Basrah, during the next 75 years.

The Iraq Government receives as compensation an annual payment of £200,000, up to the time when exploitation of oil begins. After that the Company will pay the Iraq Government four shillings for each ton of oil exported and hand over 20 per cent of the oil production to the government. The concession still requires ratification by the Iraq Government.—Trans-Ocean.

## JAPANESE ALLEGE HOSPITAL SHIP BOMBING

Shanghai, Yesterday.

A Japanese hospital ship was bombed by Chinese planes near Kiukiang on Thursday according to Japanese reports here.

It will be recalled that a similar alleged attack on a hospital ship was reported by the Japanese during the battle for Shanghai when Chinese planes were alleged to have dropped a number of bombs on a hospital ship near Woosung.—Trans-Ocean.

## WALKED INTO PARLOUR

That she had come from Canton only three days ago was the excuse given by a widow, Liu Tze, yesterday at Kowloon, when charged with bringing an unregistered mul-tan, Lai Chiu, aged 13, into the Colony.

Inspector W. H. Fraser, attached to the S.C.A., said that defendant came to his office with the girl, to register her. She was bound over.

## SIR EARLE PAGE SAILS

London, Yesterday.

Sir Earle Page, Deputy Prime Minister of Australia, left London on Saturday to return home, via Canada and the United States.

While in America he will call on the Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull.—Router.

## GOVERNMENT'S RECORD

London, Yesterday.

Parliament's adjournment for the Summer Recess prompts the newspapers to survey events of the summer session in lengthy editorials to-day.

The Conservative "Daily Express" says that, generally speaking, the Government can be satisfied with the results of the session. "The Times" declares that the adjournment took place in a far calmer atmosphere than could have been expected up till a short time ago. The paper apparently takes an optimistic view regarding likely developments before Parliament reassembles on November 1.

It claims that Government's prestige in Parliament as well as in the country remained completely unimpaired. Mr. Chamberlain's last declaration on foreign policy is generally regarded as the Premier's most successful speech.

Although Ministers are remaining in close contact with their departments during the recess and "although the fruits of the Government's foreign policy are still to be gathered, a strong hope prevails that the difficult Autumn months will pass without catastrophe.—Trans-Ocean.

Germany's natural and organically developed share in the foreign trade of South-east Europe.—Trans-Ocean.

## STRANGE PLANES OVER KWANGCHOWWAN

Canton, Yesterday. Strange aircraft, unidentified, have appeared over Kwangchowwan, according to message from Hainan Island this morning. The machines flew very high and disappeared when French machines took to the air to make investigations.—Our Own Correspondent.

## THINLY VEILED CRITICISM OF BRITISH POLICY IN BALKANS

Berlin, Yesterday.

A thinly disguised attack on Britain is made on the occasion of a new economic agreement between Germany and Turkey by the semi-official "Deutsche Diplomatisch-Politische Korrespondenz" discusses recent economic developments in South-east Europe, whereby the semi-official organ contrasts Germany's economic activity in that region with the activity of "certain other Powers," which have manifested a constantly growing interest in South-east Europe during the past few months.

The various agreements which Germany has drawn up with the South-eastern States since the automatic abrogation of Austria's Treaties of Commerce with those states in consequence of the Anschluss are, says "Korrespondenz," characterized by "conscious respect for mutual needs and natural developments," respect founded on the principle that production and demand should complete each other. Hence, the agreements concluded by Germany are free from all taint of either political or commercial imperialism contrary to the efforts of other States for which the possibilities of economic expansion in South-east Europe are much smaller.

"POLITICAL CREDITS" The paper opines that the chances of such States securing regular markets in those regions for the sale of their produce are not hopeful and that the States in question desire to counter balance this disadvantage by the granting of credits of a political character.

"Korrespondenz" goes on to say that it is irrational to wish substitute for natural development resulting from healthy economic exchanges, "artificial constructions and politically coloured competition which cannot be of any use to the peoples whom it is hoped to lure."

The semi-official journal concludes by saying that although the Reich government certainly does not claim a monopoly, it cannot remain indifferent to the attempts "to disturb by artificial means



Republican France gave Britain's King and Queen a wonderful welcome. It was the first State Visit paid by British Royalty to France since 1914. Their Majesties were welcomed with the roar of guns and the cheers of vast crowds. In Paris thousands massed along the Royal route, while earlier, at Boulogne, the hillside overlooking the harbour was black with a cheering throng. Photo shows Their Majesties the King and Queen with President Lebrun, (right) at Bois de Boulogne station. (Copyright. By Air Mail).

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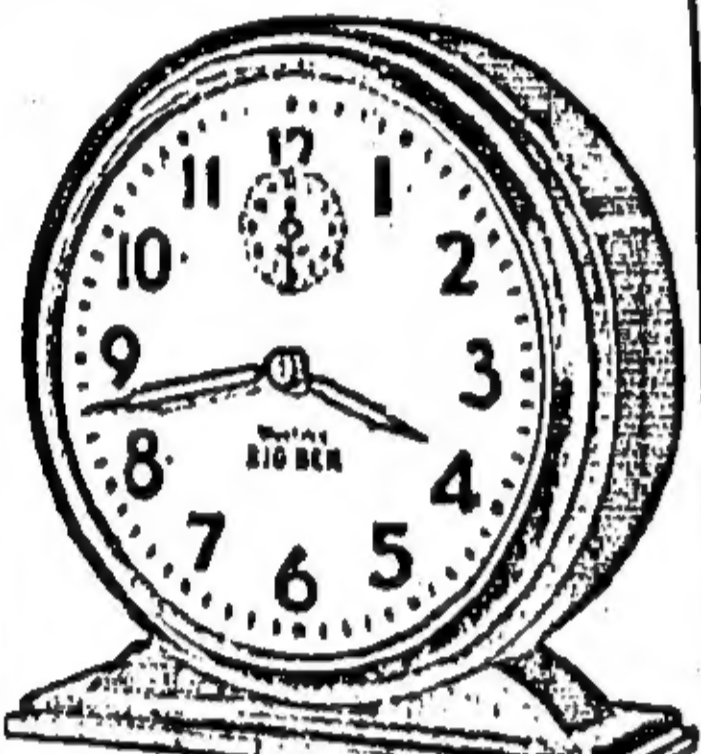
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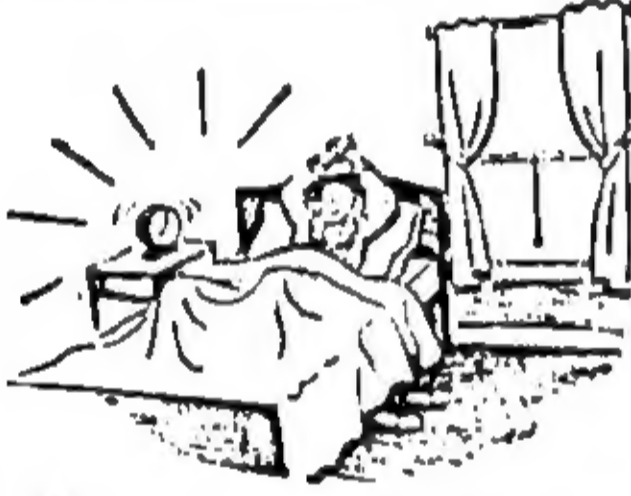
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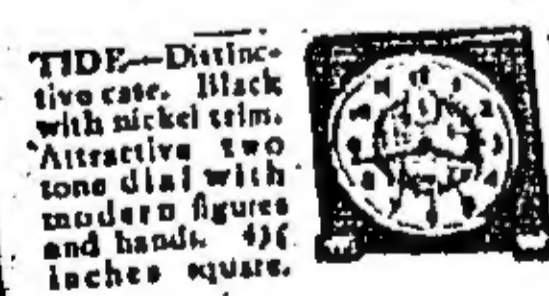
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# ANGLO-JAPANESE FRICTION

## Parliamentary Challenge Annoys Tokyo

### Threat To Terminate Craigie-Ugaki Conversations

Great indignation has been caused here by this week's discussions on the Sino-Japanese War in the British House of Commons.

This indignation is voiced by the Spokesman of the Japanese Foreign Office, who declared that the whole Common's debates have manifested the desire to intimidate and humiliate the Japanese.

The Spokesman said the Japanese people took note with much displeasure of the fact that some of the orators in Commons even demanded the abrogation of the Anglo-Japanese Commercial Treaty of 1911, and the exclusion of all Japanese goods from the markets of the British Empire.

Proposals for financial assistance to China had also been made.

Outside observers, according to the Spokesman, could not avoid obtaining the impression that the various debaters in Commons were seeking to propagate the idea of violence against Japan.

Regarding the speeches of the British Ministers, the Spokesman said that the terms in which they had been formulated lacked clarity so that no opinion could be expressed on the subject without a careful study of their contents.

Referring to the conversations between a Japanese Foreign Minister and the British Ambassador to Tokyo, the Spokesman observed that Japan recognised all the legitimate interests of the Third Parties in China, but that for time being, the successful conduct of the war must come before all other considerations.

The entire Japanese Press approves the Spokesman's utterances.

The "Hochi Shimbum" asserts in this connection that the Foreign Minister General Ugaki is resolved to cease his conversations with the British Ambassador if Britain should continue to support China against Japan.—Trans-Ocean.

### AUSTRALIAN VISIT TO BERLIN

Berlin, Yesterday.  
The Australian Attorney General and Minister for Industry, Mr. R. G. Menzies who has been staying in Berlin since Wednesday, had a conversation with the Reichsbank President, Dr. Schacht yesterday.

No particulars of the conversation have been made known. The visit of the Australian Minister who is in Germany for the first time, is being followed with close attention by economic circles here since it has been stated that in the near future an Australian trade commission will visit Berlin.

Mr. Menzies will leave for London to-day. — Trans-Ocean.



A powerful aero-engine, all that remains of a Japanese bomber which was shot down at Yingtak recently.

### CHINESE DESTROY RAILWAY

Tokyo, Yesterday.  
The Chinese retreating from Kiating destroyed the Kiating-Nanchang Railway over a distance of 130 kilometres to interrupt the advance of the Japanese on Nanchang, state the Japanese news reports received here.—Trans-Ocean.

### BRITISH AGENT GOING BACK

London, Yesterday.  
Sir Robert Hodgson, British Agent at Burgos, is returning there to-day taking with him instructions which are expected to enable him to settle with General Franco's Administration the final details of the Commission which is to examine the question of bombing of British ships.

In answer in Commons, regarding the bombing and sinking on Tuesday of the British steamer "Dellwyn" in the harbour of Gandia, the Under-Secretary of Foreign Affairs said if it were confirmed that the attack was deliberate, His Majesty's Government would at once request the incident to be referred to this commission.—British Wireless.

### FRENCH EXTENDING AIR SERVICE TO H.K. ON AUGUST 10

Paris, Yesterday.  
The French air transportation company, Air France, will extend the Marseilles—Hanoi service to Hong Kong as from August 10, it is announced.—Trans-Ocean.

A 60-year-old Shantung Chinese, Lau Chi-chiu, was yesterday sentenced to three months' hard labour by Mr. R. Edwards when he pleaded guilty to attempting larceny from an unknown European at the Star Ferry.

### DELLWYN INCIDENT: GOVT. ATTITUDE

London, Yesterday.  
In the course of the last session of Parliament before rising for the Summer Recess, the Civil Lord of the Admiralty made a statement on the "Dellwyn" incident.

He explained that the British destroyer which was anchored off Port Gandia when the bombardment of the "Dellwyn" took place, was unable to take any action since, according to instructions given to the British warships in Spanish waters, action for the protection of British merchant-ships was to be taken by the warships only in event that the attack takes place outside of Spanish Territorial waters.

#### PREMIER'S FEAR

The Premier likewise made a brief statement regarding the incident. He declared, however, that Government had not yet received further information regarding the bombardment of the "Dellwyn," particularly regarding the circumstances under which the officer of the Non-Intervention Control Board lost his life.

The Premier admitted that the killing of the neutral observer aboard the "Dellwyn" was a serious matter which might give rise to some difficulties since the other officers of the Non-Intervention Board might refuse to continue their duties.

The Premier then announced that the Non-Intervention Committee has now considering various suggestions as to how the safety of neutral observers was to be assured.—Trans-Ocean.

### EUROPEANS IN PRAYA INCIDENT

Two European engineers, Michael Joseph Power, aged 38, and Edward McLonnell, aged 30, of the s.s. War, Bharala, appeared yesterday morning before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy, charged with assaulting an Indian constable, B405 Hadyal Hussain Shan, in Connaught Road Central near Morrison Street.

The constable said that at about 1.20 a.m. when near the Wah Yau Cafe, he met first defendant who borrowed his pencil. Five minutes later, he asked defendant to return him the pencil, but instead, second defendant picked up a stool from a fruit shop near by and struck him.

Another constable, M. Singh, giving evidence, said he was standing near Morrison Street, and saw second defendant running. He stopped him and as a defendant could not give a reason for running, detained him.

A fine of \$25 was imposed on both defendants.

### JUNKS MADE TO FISH FOR JAP. WARSHIPS

("Sunday Herald" Special)  
According to information from junkfolk who have managed to escape the attention of the Japanese trawlers and gunboats while travelling from Swabue to Hong Kong, the Japanese are now forcing the Chinese fishing folk to provide them with fish and vegetables.

Just recently a fleet of seven junks was rounded up by several Japanese armed trawlers between Swabue and Bias Bay.

Instead of destroying the boats, the Japanese ransacked them of all eatables and then ordered the boatpeople to put out to sea and fish.

All fish caught were conveyed to the armed trawlers, which in turn transported them to Japanese gunboats in the vicinity.

Fishermen are sometimes sent ashore accompanied by escorts of Formosans, and compelled to purchase vegetables for the Japanese.

### LEGITIMACY OF AIR ATTACKS NOT RECOGNISED

London, Yesterday.  
The Under-Secretary of Foreign Affairs gave assurance in a Parliamentary answer to the proposals under discussion with General Franco for the Commission to investigate cases of the bombing of British ships did not imply any recognition of the legitimacy of indiscriminate air attacks on ports remote from battle front, or of the attempts to establish a blockade by means of aircraft.—British Wireless.



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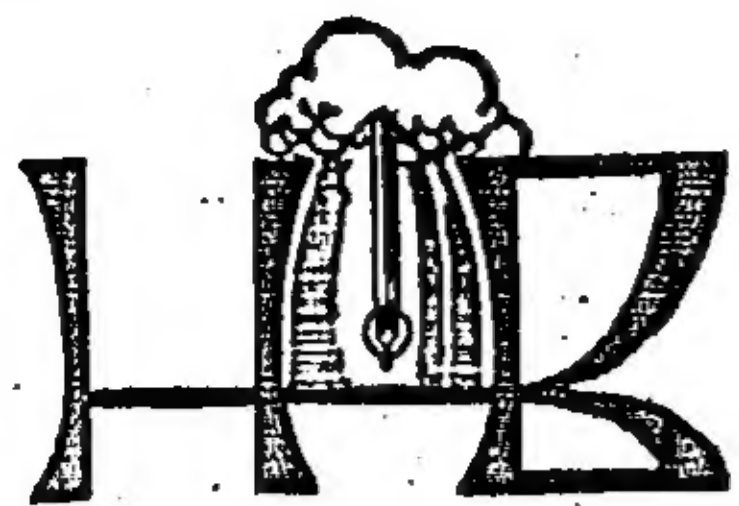
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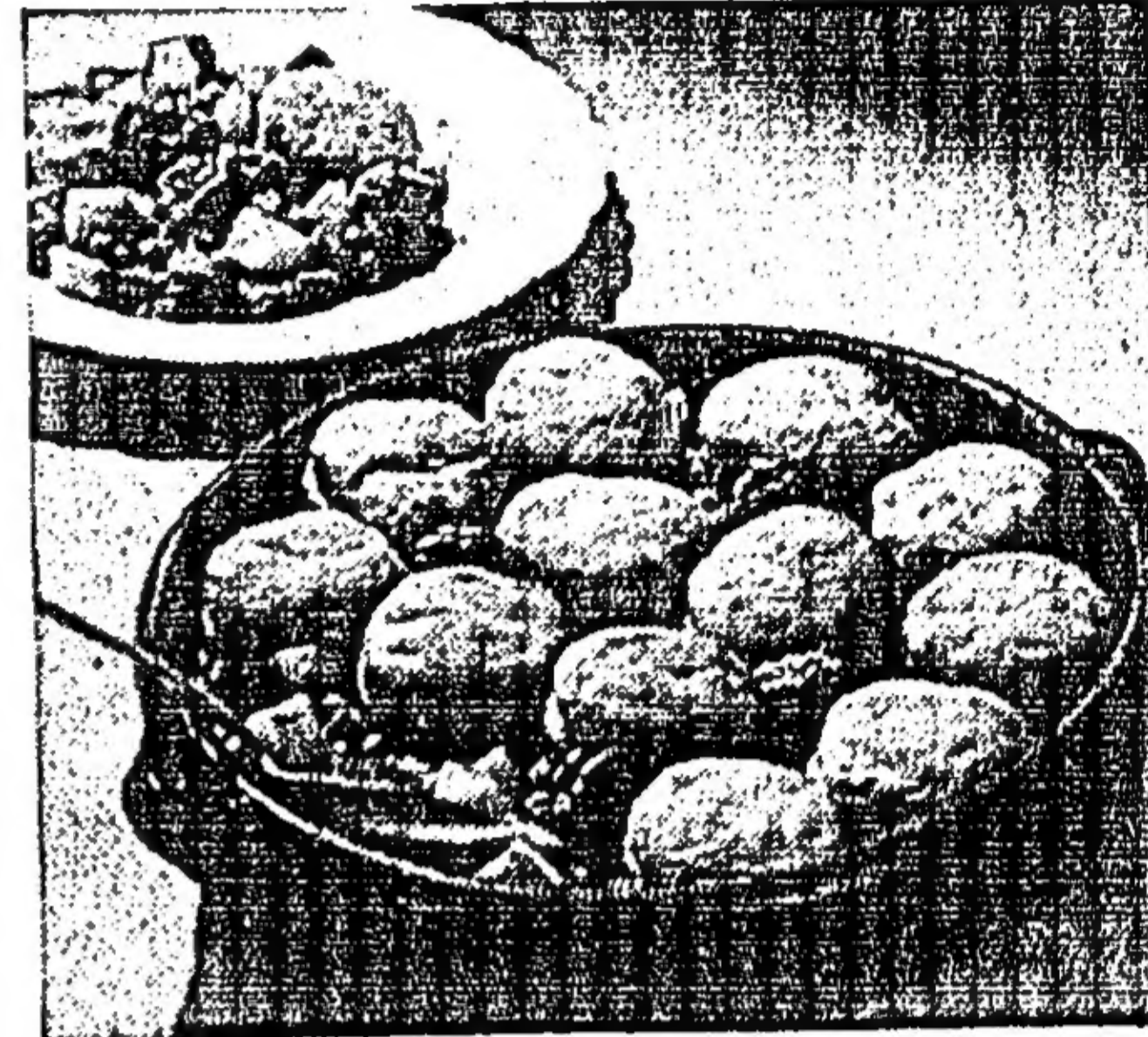
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1 onion  
1 green pepper  
a pinch of marjoram  
1 can peas  
1 sour orange  
salt and pepper to taste  
1 tablespoon parsley  
1 teaspoon paprika  
1 cup dry wine  
1 lb. potatoes  
Cut meat in small pieces; brown meat in hot lard with garlic, onion and green pepper; add marjoram, sour orange juice, seasonings and wine with a little water. Cook slowly until tender, adding potatoes about 30 minutes before meat is done. Add peas and serve with Sweet-Potato Biscuits.

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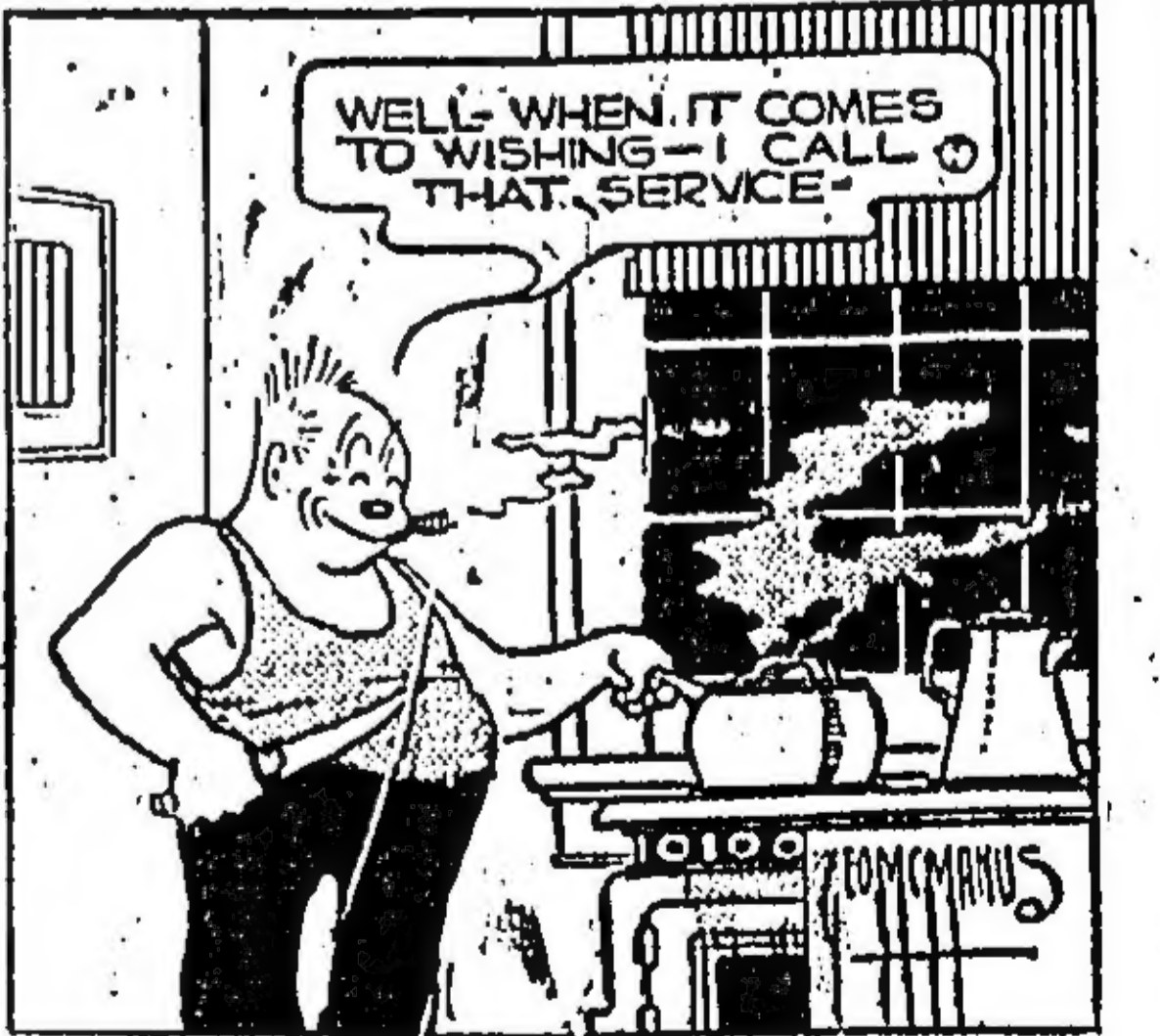
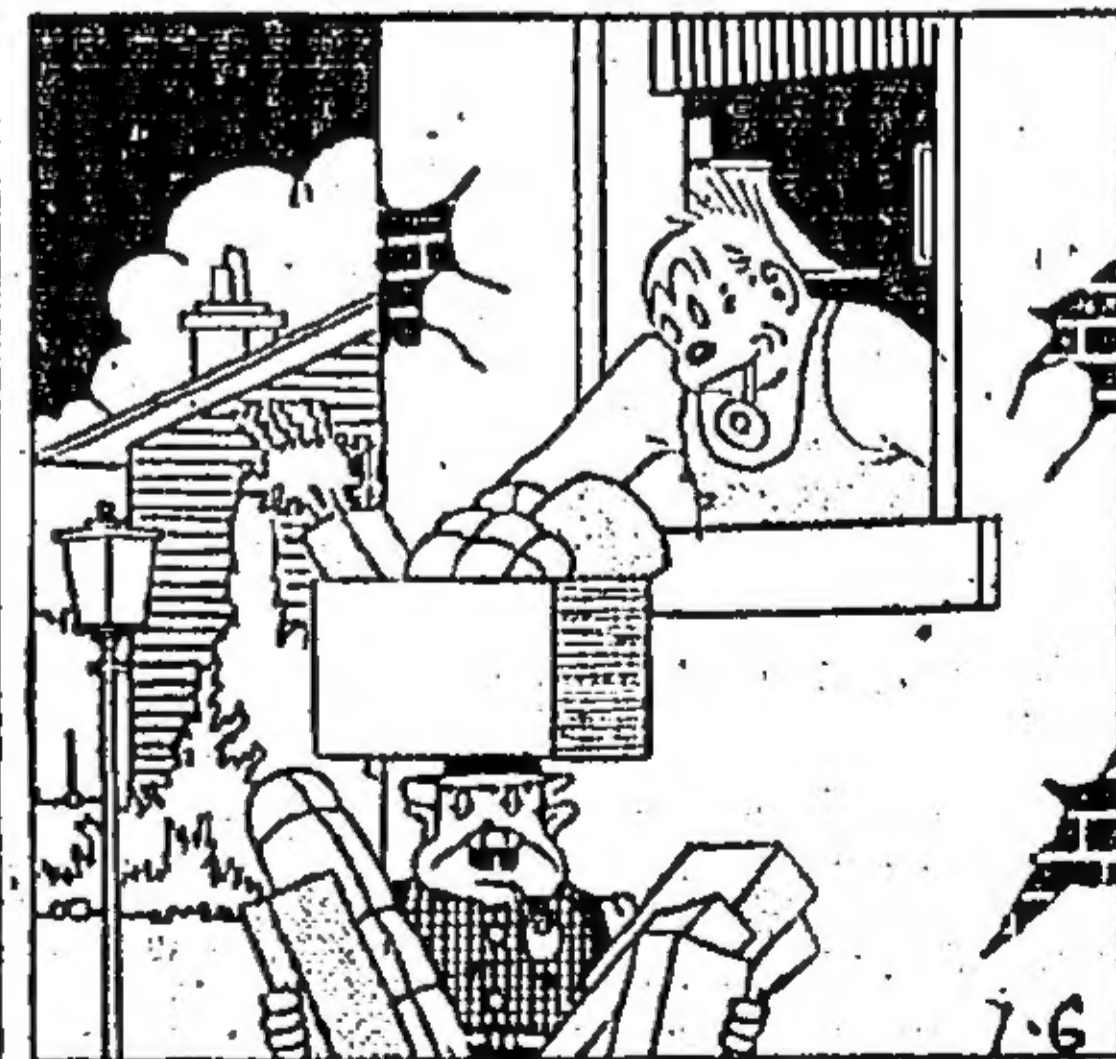
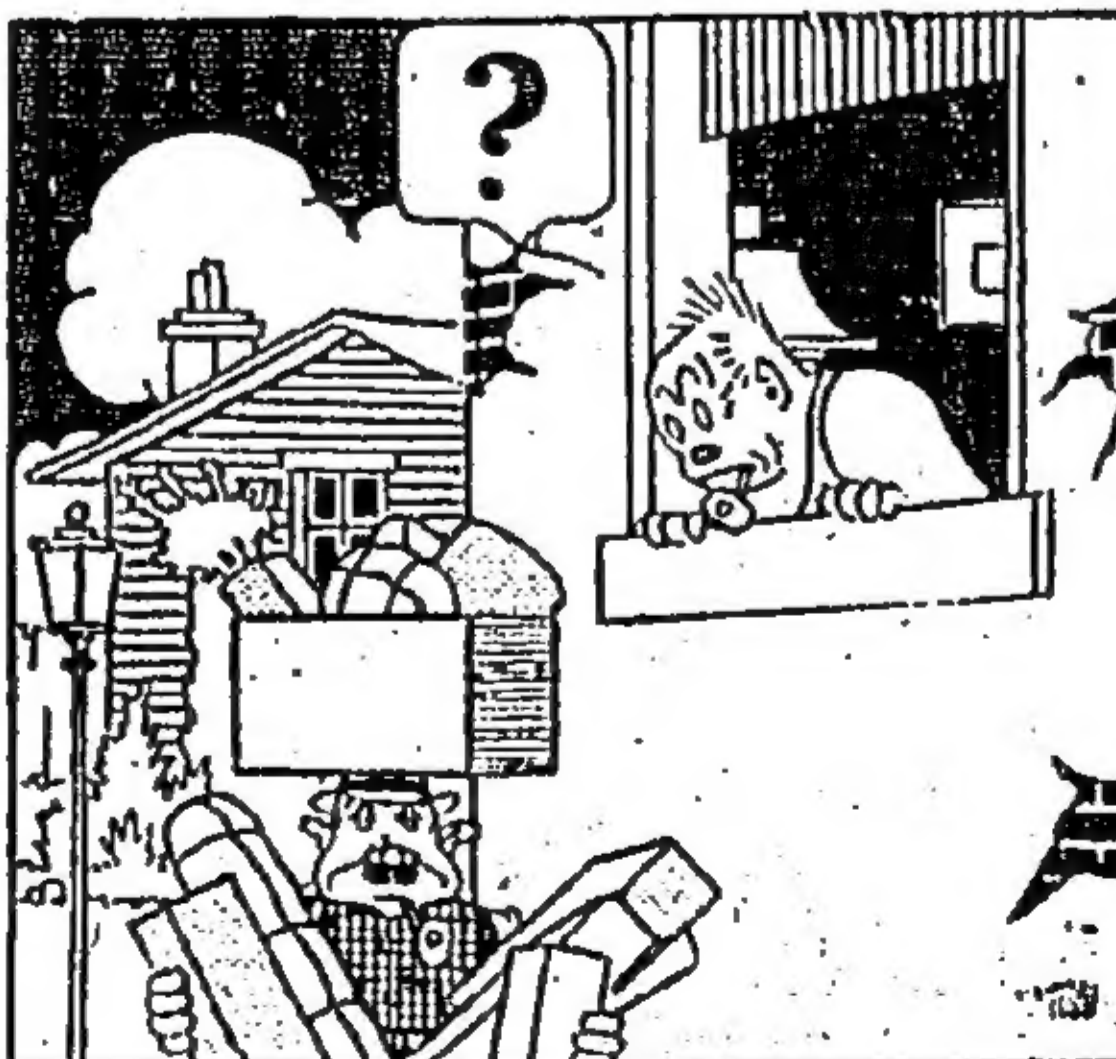


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# KOWLOON TONG CANTONMENT SCHEME TO BEGIN NEXT YEAR

## Self-Contained Military Township Spread Over 220 Acres

### JAPANESE ARMED CRAFT IN H.K. WATERS

(Special to The "Herald")

Investigation by the "Sunday Herald" has revealed Japanese armed motor-launches have recently been in the habit of entering British waters near Tai-O for the purchase of vegetables from villages on Lan Tau.

The launches approach the mainland south of the island on which Tai-O Police Station is situated and then proceed up the river to Keung Shan Village.

For vegetables, usually sold at a few cents per catty, the Japanese pay as much as 20 to 30 cents per catty.

The boats carry machine-guns but the men are always unarmed when landing.

Village elders have warned vegetable vendors not to sell to the Japanese, but owing to the high prices obtained for their products, the sale goes on.

The men who land to make purchases, are mostly Formosans who are able to converse in South China dialects.

### Married Quarters On Waterloo Road Side

("Sunday Herald" Special)

Details of the \$20,000,000 plan for the conversion of some 220 acres of ground to the north and east of Kowloon Tong into a model military cantonment were revealed to the "Sunday Herald" yesterday.

The plan, outlined in scores of blue prints and already offered out to tender, provides for a self-contained military township which will nestle in a really ideal site in the foothills below Beacon Hill and Lion Rock.

Commodious barracks, married quarters, a welfare centre and a gymnasium are all provided for in the scheme and it is believed possible that in the future, a church will also be built.

It is expected that construction will commence in April of next year and it is hoped that this the first stage in the general re-organisation of barracks, accommodation, designed to relieve congestion at Shamshuipo and Whitfield, will be completed by 1942 or 1943.

Reassuring from the point of view of the Kowloon Tong residents, is the information that the main lines, which as reported some time ago, are to be constructed, will be not less than a quarter of a mile from Waterloo Road.

At that distance, it will be most unlikely that anyone in Kow-

loon Tong will be inconvenienced," an engineer officer told a "Sunday Herald" representative. "The stables will be cleaned out daily and there will be no suggestion of any smells."

The officer pointed out that the present main lines at Whitfield, which have been in their present location for years, have not caused complaints to be made by residents in the vicinity.

#### KOWLOON TONG TO BENEFIT

As the scheme now stands, Kowloon Tong will actually benefit. Where there is now a large tract of waste land on the eastern side of Waterloo Road, will arise extensive married quarters after the style of present Kowloon Tong houses, and tinned playing-fields which, in addition to being more sightly, will prevent the large quantities of dust flying over the Garden City which now occurs when the wind is coming from that direction.

The southern extremity of the new cantonment will be a line approximately at right angles to the market at the foot of York Road, while the northern extremity will be the monument situated at a height of about 550 feet in the foothills.

Eastern and western extremities will be the rifle range and a line running north of the west end of Cornwall Road, respectively.

The extent of the scheme will thus be appreciated.

#### BARRACK BLOCKS

Barrack blocks to accommodate British troops, situated to the north of Cornwall Road, will be constructed on lines designed to take full advantage of the south winds which prevail in the summer and afford protection from the cold north winds in the winter.

Of three stories, large verandahs will extend along the front and the back. Messing will be central. Each block will be possessed of cold shower rooms and a central bathroom where hot baths can be obtained.

#### SERGEANTS' MESSSES

An innovation provides for Sergeants' Messes on the lines of officers' messes. These will provide living accommodation for single sergeants in addition to messing and recreation facilities.

In a central location will be a gymnasium available for all the troops quartered in the cantonment, while each unit will be provided with its own playing fields.

In an ideal site at a height of 350 feet with a view of Lyceum Pass probably second to none in the Colony, will be three storied married quarters in flats of varying sizes differing according to the rank of the occupant.

There will also be a limited number of buildings for married officers but as a general rule, these officers will be required to make their own arrangements as to accommodation, as they do at present.

#### SCHOOLS AND SCHOOLS

In addition to Battalion school for the troops, a school for children in the cantonment will be constructed at which some 400



Mr. Peter Sin, the well-known solicitor, and his young son, in an unconventional pose.

### SPECIAL STAFF FOR LADY PROTECTOR RECOMMENDED AGAINST VICE RACKET

SIR—I do not agree with your correspondent that the aid of women's organisations could be of any use in the cleaning up of the Colony's vice rackets and the trafficking in women and girls.

IN THE FIRST PLACE, IT IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR A WOMAN CONNECTED WITH SUCH ORGANISATIONS TO GET ACCESS TO, SAY, A BROTHEL, AND UNLESS SHE GOES IN AND SEES THINGS FOR HERSELF AND ENQUIRES FROM THE GIRLS, IT IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR HER TO FORM AN OPINION.

Neither do I agree with your correspondent that the vice racket is of comparatively recent development.

I agree with him, however, that the number of prostitutes and the amount paid for "protection" as published by you two weeks ago were considerably under-estimated.

Unless a person frequents these places, he is not in a position to say what actually goes on. The only person, I think, who could do anything of use is the Lady Protector or Lady S.C.A., as we call her. If she had a well paid and efficient Chinese staff, I think she could do a great deal.

If you want a really interesting story about the subject, I think most reporters of the big Chinese papers could give you a fairly accurate account, provided, of course, you give them protection. If the truth is ever written, Mr. Editor, you will get the greatest shock in your life.

#### HUMANITARIAN.

### HOSPITAL BOARD FORMED

("Herald" Special)

It is reliably learned that a Hospital Board has recently been formed owing to the problem of acute shortage of accommodation for the ever-increasing number of patients in the Colony.

All hospitals, both private and public, it is learned, have during the past few months been taxed to the limit, and Government is now considering further arrangements for additional temporary hospitals.

#### GAOL FOR EMBEZZLEMENT

Following announcement of his inability to raise the money to return to his employer, Lam Yuk-sang, 29, assistant book-keeper of the Kowloon Confectionery, was sentenced to eight months' hard labour by Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday for embezzlement of \$489.

### SOLDIER AND A TAXI RIDE

PRIVATE WILLIAM, OF THE MIDDLESEX REGIMENT, APPEARED BEFORE MR. Q. A. A. MACPHERSON AT THE KOWLOON POLICE COURT YESTERDAY CHARGED WITH FAILING TO PAY FORTY-FIVE CENTS TAXI FARE, WITH DAMAGING THE TAXI, NO. 146, AND WITH ASSAULTING THE DRIVER.

Inspector D. Reidy, prosecuting, said defendant boarded the taxi at the garage, next to the Alhambra Theatre, on Friday at 10.30 p.m., and told driver to go to Shamshuipo Camp. When the taxi reached Waterloo Road, defendant reached the driver to stop, and left with the intention of boarding a bus. Defendant struck the driver when asked for the fare.

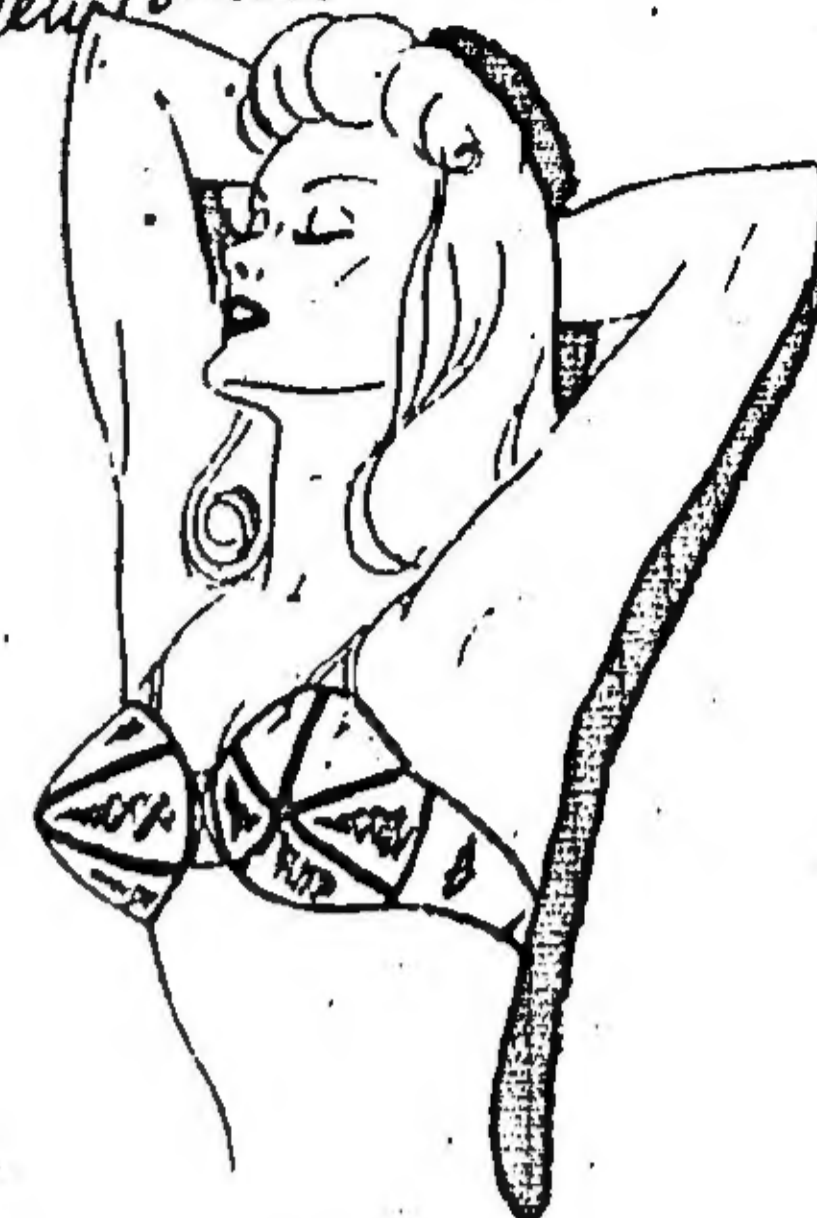
Defendant was fined \$10, ordered to pay amends, and to sign a bond to keep the peace and be of good behaviour for one year.

### THEFT ON YACHT

Sentence of three months, hard labour was imposed on Lam Ho-sai, 18, by Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at Kowloon yesterday for the theft of a gold wrist watch, valued at \$75, from a seaman on board the Philippines Presidential Yacht "Cusiana" lying at the Kowloon Docks. The watch was recovered from a pawnshop, where defendant had pawned it for \$5.55.

children will be able to attend. A N.A.A.F.I. welfare centre, sports facilities and ultimately, it is hoped, a church, will make this military settlement into an entirely self-contained township and neither the troops nor their families will be compelled to go beyond its boundaries for anything other than entertainments not provided for.

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# PRIVATE FACES IN PUBLIC PLACES

## The Lowdown

A MANILA man told us this one. On a brief business trip to the Colony, an associate loaned him a secretary. "Take a letter — Smith, Brown, and Robinson," Bank of East Asia Building," cried the man from Manila. "Er, Gentlemen —"

"I beg to differ," said the girl coldly. "I've been out with the three of them."

## Cafe de Chine

THESE hot nights the roofs of the city are about the most attractive spots in town. Towards dusk, or under the gleaming stars, you sit there anchored in space gazing at the dark mystery of the Peak. In Paris nous les toits. More often than not nostalgia is our portion — not for the far off murmur of other cities, but because generally the cooking is way behind the view. Having arrived at an age when a man grows tender towards his stomach, we remember the Coq Rouge and how we swallowed Maitre Giovanni's superb bula intent only on the liquid orbs of an amorous baggage, and calmly ordered white wine to wash down Poulet D'Or.

ALL of which we imparted to Mr. Ginarn Lao, Manager of the Cafe de Chine, Hong Kong's latest addition to roof top restaurants, adding that, in our opinion, the cooking in Hong Kong was a mixture of English sogginess and Chinese seasonings, a culinary meal-lance responsible for more domestic crises than all the Shanghai sirens put together. Mr. Lao, a slight man with pro-

minent eyes and a brisk manner, smiled. "Of that I cannot speak; it would not be politeness. Here we specialise in Szechuan dishes," his voice sank to a discreet whisper. "If you would care to try?" "Certainly," we replied. "What do you recommend?" He eyed us speculatively. "For you four dishes only—Bouillon Mandarin, Garoupa Ginarn, Poulet Paprika, and Canard a la Szechuan." Right now we might care for the first, enjoyed the second in a mild way, lapped up the third, and, well have you ever tasted the Crillon's Canard a la Rouennaise?

IF you have then you will appreciate Mr. Lao's Szechuan duck. As tender as the breast of a Bali virgin and about the same golden brown, the bird is a dish fit to set before kings. Prepared with the traditional Szechuan condiments, the spicy flesh melts in the mouth and imparts a juicy perfection to the palate. Looking back we're inclined to rate that duck as our most memorable experience (and that includes you, Dear Lady) in a land where tin openers are among the chief articles of import.

## New Export

SINCE the trouble in Central Europe became headlines, there's been a serious shortage of Warsaw whoppers. Saturday night savers—"Woman finds fifteen zloty in currant bun," and

"Prague student bites Film Star"—are no longer coming through on the wire. This is a magnificent opportunity for us to earn a dishonest dollar, and we're taking it. The Grand Lama of Cheung Chau paid ten thousand cash to a Kowloon dentist for a set of false teeth, and lost them the first time he attempted to swear at the cook down the lift shaft. He has now become a Christian. "Darling, how quaint. George, where is Kowloon?"

## Henry's Crush

IN our office last week the Lana were useless in the heavy air, and a kind of idiosyncrasy lay in



FIFI

the unmoving heat so that we were seduced by it, and fell into an uneasy torpor at the ten million words. Heavily the conviction sank in that there was nothing left to write about, a colossal gloom that lasted until our man Henry meandered in.

"I'm thinking," he said solemnly, "how fine it would be just to be alone with her and get quietly tight and tell her how lovely she is." We

sat up. Even the Sports Editor stopped typing. "Henry!" "I know what you're thinking, but," a faraway look came into his eyes; "she's different." The Sports Editor hit the keys as though they had bitten him. "Listen, Henry," we said kindly. "As our assistant you should know that all women are different. The sole variation permissible is pretty, and then only when the face so closely resembles an old boot as to deceive nobody." "Cynic, rot and swine," quoted Henry softly, "here, your hat."

FIFI conducts six gentlemen from Harlem. Or rather the six gentlemen play hot music while Fifi aways. And how she sways. Henry and us almost got cross-eyed watching her. An eye-ful of pluperfect proportions, she's high yellow rhythm and well different. Ever seen a came-lia in a fifty cent vase? That's Fifi arched to honky-tonk in the Majestic Dancing Academy. A close up? Blanche ivory framed in a dusky cloud. Maybe the nose is too broad and the mouth a trifle generous for perfection. We don't know. Like Henry, we sat bemused by two grey saucers, one moment warm and gay, the next colder than an English sky in November.

"LATER she sang, 'She'll be coming round the mountains soon . . . She'll be ridin' six white horses . . . and danced a slick waltz with her partner, a lithe, dark little man with eyes like hot coals. Taking into account that Henry and us have seen a lot of that kind of thing.

## Burglar's Break

Voice, bristly: "30281." Voice, wearily: "No reply." Voice, sarcastically: "The number happens to be the Hong Kong-Shanghai Bank, try again." Voice, coldly: "They've all gone to tiffin."

## Bellamy?

HE was sitting outside his shop in Cat Street—a gargantuan replica of the carved Buddha that dotted the jumbled shelves behind him. A soiled loincloth and a sweat stained singlet between them left naked a vast paunch down which rivulets of perspiration trickled. "How's business?" we asked, wondering if the inert mass breathed. However, he was alive enough to give a noncommittal grunt, until he realized that we didn't intend buying anything, when he suddenly became articulate. Yes, he had been to England, he told us in perfect English, and had intended visiting London again this year, only the removal of his shop from Canton had cost him much money. "Also travel is so expensive," he remarked, picking his teeth thoughtfully. "I should never have taken the trip had not my doctor insisted on a long sea voyage." "You had been ill?" we enquired politely. "I was a dead man in nineteen twenty-eight." He patted his side: "Heart." "And England did you good?" "Oh, yes, but the expense nearly ruined me. I stayed at the Savoy, and it cost me five pounds a day—and that did not include tips," he added pensively.

CLOSING our eyes in an effort to visualise him sitting in Babylon's foyer, we remembered Bellamy. Bellamy, a veritable Arbuckle of a man, the fattest broker in a market of fat men. Bellamy who would rather talk about his ailments than sell you a block of shares. Bellamy who disliked tipping and loved staying at the Savoy. Bellamy who picked his teeth and believed in the transmigration of souls. Bellamy who had blown out his brains on May 1st, 1928. We opened our eyes. "Can you remember," we began excitedly. A gentle snore cut us short—he was fast asleep.

## Finesse

US: Here, have one of these? Tittlebat: Thanks. Confidentially, I was beginning to be afraid that it wouldn't work with you.

US: What wouldn't work? Tittlebat: Persuading you to offer me a cigarette. You see, I depend on making people offer me cigarettes; I never buy any myself.

US: Gracious, how do you manage it? You didn't ask for one.

Tittlebat: No, that's plain cadging. I use psychology. For example, five minutes ago, you brought out a packet. I said: "That reminds me. I'm clean out of cigarettes." Most people fall for that, and offer one right away. You proved tougher, so I tried the dummy-packet dodge. As soon as you lit up, I pulled out an empty packet and looked surprised. I shook it, felt inside, and said: "I could have sworn there was one left. That cadger, Wilks, must have snaffled the last."

UNFORTUNATELY, you were staring at a pretty girl and missed the effect. Then I pulled out a box of matches and lit your cigarette, looking as if I were dying for one myself. All you said was thanks; so I had to give you the works. Taking out my case, I found a cigarette, and dropped it on the floor.

US: Just a minute. If you had a cigarette all the time, why the hard work?

Tittlebat: I only need one. I can use it over and over again. I never smoke it. I just drop it on the floor and say, "Hello, there goes my last cigarette." Then, the other fellow offers me one of his, and when he isn't looking, I pick mine up for next time.



Dr. Arthur Woo, who left for Manila in the Philippine Clipper last Sunday on a business and pleasure trip. He is going up to Baguio by air during his stay.

## PERSONALIA

Miss Ivy Kilburn-Scott, of No. 10, Babington Path, and Mr. Walter James Morris, construction supervisor attached to the Hong Kong Land Investment Company, were married at the Registry last week.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Clement Chan on the birth of a son last week at the Hong Kong Sanitarium.

Mr. A. L. Shields, principal of Messrs. Shewan, Tomes and Company and one of Hong Kong's most prominent businessmen, left in the Tjinalak for a brief holiday in Batavia.

Miss Anne Fowler, of the Hong Kong Government Medical Department, is leaving in the Rawalpindi next Saturday for a holiday in Singapore.

Mr. W. Kay, headmaster of King's College, accompanied by Mrs. Kay and their infant, has left for a holiday in Batavia.

Mrs. J. A. R. Selby and her two children, accompanied by her sister, Miss Vivienne Blackburn, has left for a short holiday at Dalat, Indo-China. They will be away about a month.

Mr. Athol Dalziel, brother of Mrs. Olive Burnett and Mrs. Sybil Gardner, left in the Hector for Singapore, where he will tranship for Australia.

Mr. Jan Marsman, of Messrs. Marsman and Company, left for Manila last Sunday.

Dr. (Mrs.) Canaval, well-known local lady practitioner, is another Hong Kong resident who is holidaying in the Dutch East Indies.

Mr. J. Gibson and his daughter, Mrs. Louise Murray, have left on a holiday tour of Australia. They will be away for two or three months.

Mr. E. B. Gammell, of the Asiatic Petroleum Company arrived in the Empress of Asia.

Mr. S. M. Hale, who is connected with Messrs. Anderson, Meyer and Company's Shanghai office, arrived in the Colony in the Empress of Asia.

Mr. J. C. Kyle, of the Shanghai branch of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, is at present in the Colony.

## LITTLE NOTES of Great Importance

The unimpeachable quality of the LINEN CHEST'S lingerie and table linen is, of course, one of their great charms. But you might like to know that there are a number of Chenilles, or straw bath slippers, which are causing some talk among shoppers just now. Some there are who swear by their all-round usefulness; others their durability, lightness, airiness and good looks. We just swear you're going to love them for more reasons than those, and urge you to make haste before they're all gone. And if you have any friends who like to receive gifts that contribute to the atmosphere of their home, find on the centre table a number of very attractive straw glass holders of the anti-drip variety. Gay plaid napkins go with each one . . . and you'll find THE LINEN CHEST in Room 210 Gloucester Building.

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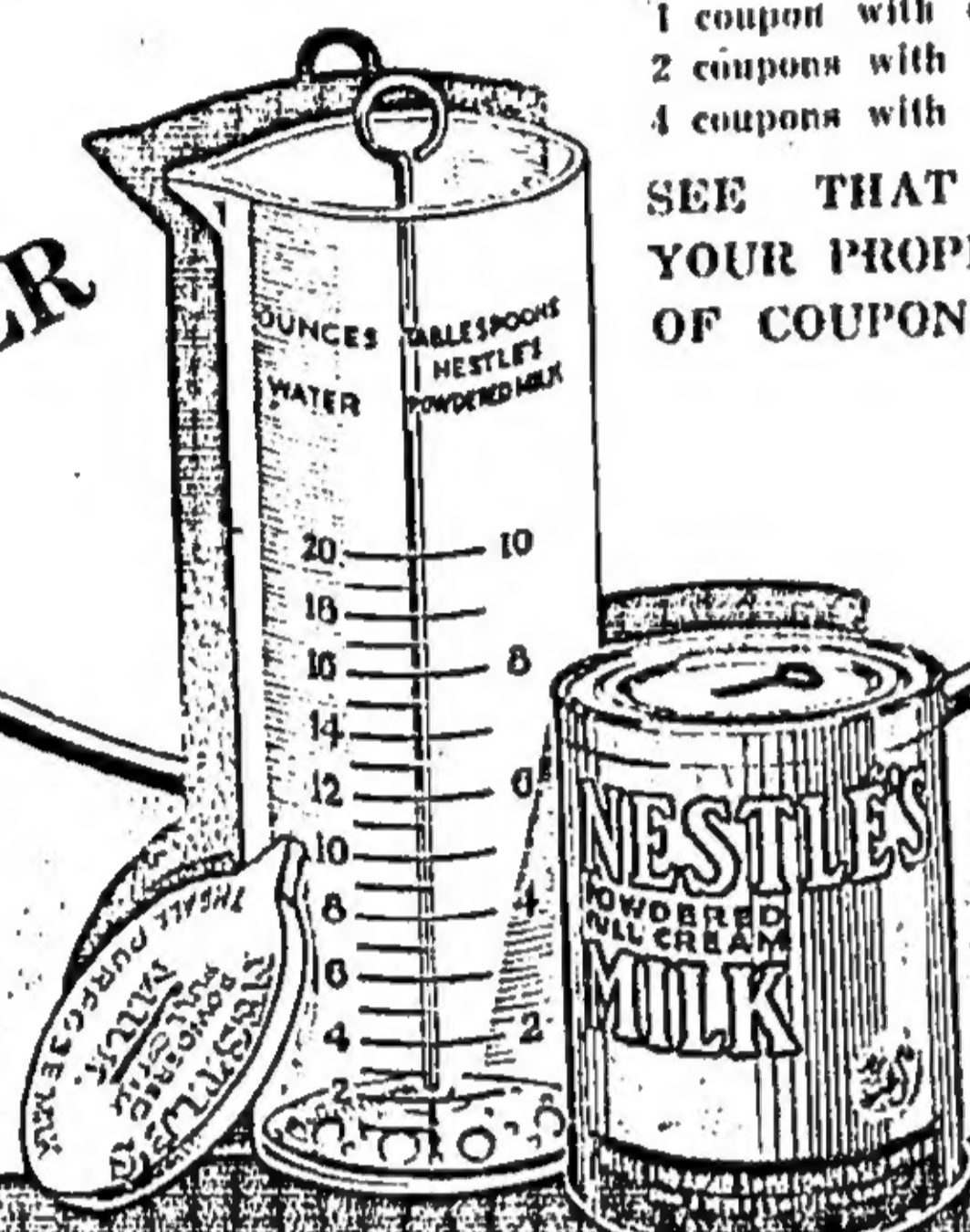
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Two years have passed, and even with the assistance of Germany and Italy, Franco has been unable to make good that boast. True, the roar of German artillery can be heard in Valencia as the rebel army battles at the strong Republican defence lines that stretch from Segorbe to Sagunto, 30 miles away on the coast; and Italian planes bomb small villages that lie in the path of the rebel advance.

True, also, that the French frontier is closed—silent witness of the pressure Mr. Chamberlain has put on Premier Daladier in his efforts to "keep Britain out of war." But the final triumph of Franco is as far off as ever. The strength of the Republic's resistance has not yet been put to the final test.

In his drive on Valencia, Franco plans to isolate Barcelona and complete by starvation what military strategy and overwhelming force have failed to do. If he can continue to bomb British ships with impunity—Mr. Chamberlain has again made it clear that no protection will be afforded them in their lawful trade—and keep the French frontier closed while supplies from Italy and Germany pour through Portugal, he hopes to deliver a smashing blow that will not only give him Valencia and complete control of the northern and eastern coasts, but force the Government to yield.

The plan has its origin in Berlin and Rome. Franco has been given his orders, and the whole force of his Fascist army is directed toward gaining a spectacular victory which will enable Mussolini to make a pretence of withdrawing a few thousand troops before the British plan is put into effect.

### ITALIAN BOMBS

Nobody now attempts to deny the truth of the Spanish Government's claim that it is fighting foreign foes. The pretext that Franco and his generals are waging war against a Communist regime—it served them well in the early stages of the war—has been openly abandoned.

Italy boasts in her newspapers of the achievements of her "heroic Legionary aviation," and takes credit for the number of bombs her airmen have dropped and the rounds of machine-gun bullets they have fired.

Some idea of the number of Italian planes in operation in Spain may be gauged from the figures quoted in one Rome newspaper, obviously obtained from official sources. On one day in May alone 195 machines were engaged in 14 separate actions.

It is admitted that Italian air losses amount to 120 pilots killed, in addition to a number reported missing or taken prisoner.

In face of these facts, Mr. Chamberlain still proclaims his belief in Mussolini's good faith. There is no evidence, he says, that Italy has sent more troops and planes to Spain since the signing of the Anglo-Italian agreement. More, she has agreed to the withdrawal plan and has paid a cheque in advance toward the initial cost of the scheme.

What, therefore, argues our Premier, could be fairer or better proof of the Duce's good will? And if, as is now suggested, he will withdraw 10,000 troops—not airmen or technicians, be it noted—surely that should satisfy the condition under which the agreement was reached—that there

shall be a "settlement in Spain?" That is the danger of the present position. The withdrawal plan cannot become effective until the Spanish Government and Franco have agreed to its terms. By the time they have done so—if ever they do—Parliament will have risen, and, provided Mussolini makes his "gesture," the way will be open for Mr. Chamberlain to declare that the last obstacle has been surmounted, and that the Pact will be brought into operation at once, without giving the House of Commons an opportunity of expressing its views.

This is the only construction which can be put on the Premier's statement—that he could give no assurance that the House would be able to discuss the agreement before it became operative.

He endeavoured to quieten the fears of Labour members by adding that it might be necessary to recall Parliament to consider the matter.

### NOW OR NEVER

But the continual talks which have taken place in Rome between Lord Perth, British Ambassador, and Count Ciano, Italian Foreign Minister; the inspired comments in the Italian Press; the hints of Mussolini's impatience; are sufficient evidence that Mr. Chamberlain is prepared to yield once again to what Viscount Cranborne, the former Foreign Under-Secretary, bluntly described as blackmail.

Mussolini wants the agreement put into force now. He is willing to save the Premier's face by withdrawing troops, but will take great care that they will be "surplus" men. The remainder of his 90,000-strong army will be left on Spanish soil.

The Spanish Government has already given warning of the manner in which the Duce proposes to evade the British plan. In a Note which its Ambassador in London, Señor Pablo de Azcarate, handed to the Foreign Office, it is stated there have been several conversations between the chief of the Italian forces in Spain and Franco and his staff.

"The result of these conferences," says the Note, "is that in the event of Italy's being forced to yield to British pressure, some 10,000 men, most of them incapacitated and sick, would be transferred to Italy, and the remainder would be incorporated into the Spanish Foreign Legion as volunteers."

"The Italians have made it a condition that these new battalions would be commanded exclusively by officers of the Italian army."

### FASCIST THREAT

But even the complacent Mr. Chamberlain must have got a shock when he read the alleged disclosure by a London paper of Fascist aims in Spain and the Mediterranean which has started all Europe.

The story, which has been categorically denied in Berlin, alleges that in a confidential address to Nazi leaders in Berlin, General von Reichenau, a German army corps commander, and one of Hitler's most trusted military chiefs, revealed that Germany hoped, as a result of her inter-

vention in Spain, to gain control of strategic positions that would be of vital importance in the event of war with Britain and France. "The main vital line both of England and France," he is supposed to have said, "leads through the Mediterranean. One may count on Italy being able, in case of war, to stop, or at least impede, English sea-borne traffic between Gibraltar and Port Said."

"No big troop transport and no systematic trade in raw materials would be possible in the Mediterranean unless the hostile air force had previously been reduced."

"We are already pushing events in the desired direction, in which we have made some progress."

"Among instances of this may be reckoned our support of Franco in putting up long-range batteries in the vicinity of Algeiras and on the African coast opposite Gibraltar, near Ceuta. These ought to render good service when it comes to cutting the Anglo-French vital line."

General Reichenau points out that Germany's aim must be to make the fullest use of the air bases which are being organised in Northern Spain—territory under the control of Franco—to attack the south-west of France.

He urges that Germany should make every effort to win over Portugal and thus prevent Britain making use of any new air base on the Portuguese coast.

Portugal is held in affectionate regard by Britain, which never ceases to hold her up as "our oldest ally." But Portugal needs arms—and she is now asking Britain to sell them to her.

The British Staff Mission which visited the country in February has reported that it was unable to promise prompt delivery. Now German armament manufacturers have offered to supply all the requirements of the Portuguese.

### PREMIER'S DILEMMA

Such is the harvest which Mr. Chamberlain is reaping as a result of his assiduous wooing of the Fascist Powers. On the one hand, he has the threat of Mussolini to back Franco with all Italy's might unless the Anglo-Italian agreement comes into force quickly; on the other, the guns dominating Gibraltar and the Mediterranean.

The two years' conflict in Spain has brought the shadow of a world war nearer. The non-intervention policy, originated by Britain and aided by a reluctant France, has given Italy and Germany the opportunity of gaining a foothold in a country attached by ties of friendship and tradition to Britain.

Let us hope that the third year will not see the struggle between Democracy and Fascism brought to our shores.

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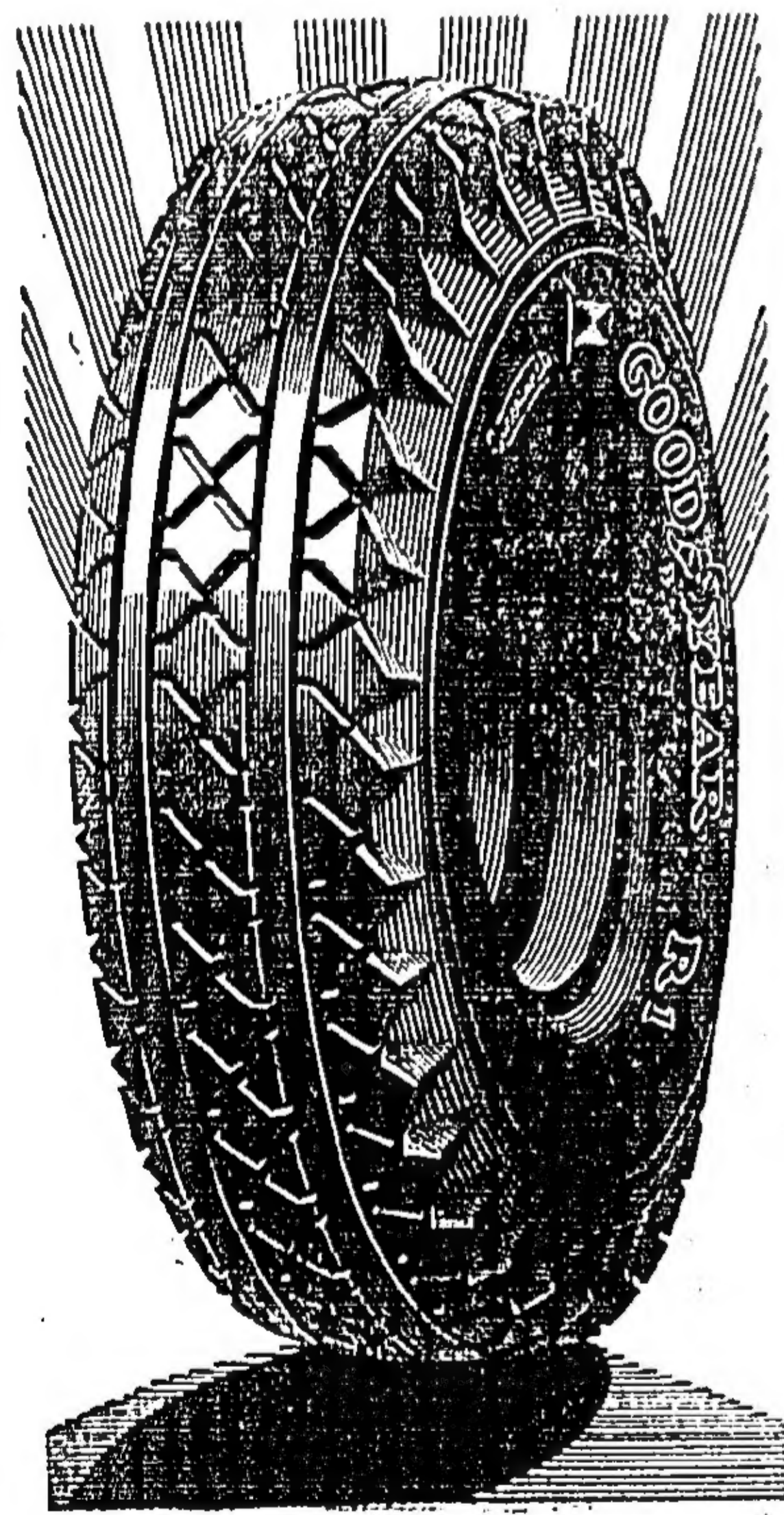
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# THE NEW AIR TERROR A PLAN FOR REAL A. R. P.

IS the A.R.P. situation hopeless? I do not think so. Provided we start now and on the right lines, I think it is possible for the democracies to protect themselves from all who may be air-bandits. And here is a "blue-print" for a national A.R.P. programme which would be effective.

First let us remember that the main object of future air raids will not be to hit military objectives nor to produce enormous casualties, but to destroy the activity of our cities by tying up traffic and by creating panic. Our Air Raid Precautions must satisfy three fundamental needs:—

The first must make it possible for people to carry on their necessary work.

Suppose every inhabitant of London, Manchester, and Glasgow had a bomb-proof shelter, so that not a soul need be killed, what would be the good of that if, for safety's sake, they had to retire into their holes for a week on end? The war would be lost by our enemy immobilising us.

A.R.P. must prevent panic.

These who have work to do must not be worried for their wives and children, and they must not be put to the mental strain which comes of seeing other people, who have nothing to do, getting frightened.

Since enormous sums of money will be needed to produce a real A.R.P. programme, it will be of great value if the programme has a peace time usefulness.

Bearing these three fundamental points in mind, the following are the essentials of an A.R.P. programme.

1. EVACUATION of everyone who can be spared from large urban areas.

Observers in Spain have noticed that where this has been done, as in Castellon, the morale has been magnificent.

Paris has already worked out an evacuation plan. We must demand of our Government an immediate way to do it would be to start with plans for annual peace time evacuations for all city children.

At present, wealthy people take their children away for a summer holiday to the sea. Our Government should arrange, under the Board of Education, for every child to have this advantage. The cost of the necessary summer camps would be no more than that of building shadow factories and other defence necessities, and the improvement in health would go a long way towards paying for it.

Besides this, it has been estimated that the Government would save nearly three hundred million pounds on bomb-proof shelters if a comprehensive scheme of evacuation was included in A.R.P.

If, then, we had a regular peace-time machinery for evacuating children, sudden war-time evacuation would be comparatively simple, and if no war ever comes we shall still have a magnificent social service of peace-time value.

2. PROTECTION of essential workers. For those who must remain to carry on the necessary life of the cities there must be protection in a form that permits of continued work.

For indoor workers, this means bomb-proof basements in every essential office building, and changes of habit to meet war-time emergency.

There must be no living in the suburbs and travelling to work, for two reasons; first, because you cannot protect people so easily

while they are travelling, and, secondly, because we must reduce the amount of transport to the minimum so as to protect the lives of transport workers.

Why should engine-drivers be forced to risk their lives because thousands who work in the City want to go on living at Southend?

Bomb-proof shelters and dormitories must be added wherever essential office and indoor workers will still have to work in war-time.

We must assume that the attackers will try to dislocate our lives by using the technique of Silent Approach and by repeated raids without warning. This means that it is no use regarding a raid as an exceptional half-hour which has to be got through somehow; raid conditions will be the permanent conditions, perhaps, for weeks on end. Our Government must safeguard us from bombs, but in a way to let us go on working.

3. SINCE it will be very hard to keep streets open, and since it will be even harder to protect men and women engaged in transport of all sorts, the movement of our cities must, as far as possible, go on underground.

Here there is a magnificent opportunity for a far-sighted programme. Our big cities are cursed with a tremendous traffic problem, even in peace-time. Since we have got to spend large sums of money on A.R.P., let us do so in a way that will help our peace-time problems also.

In London, for example, north-south and east-west underground viaducts would be of incalculable value both in war and in peace.

We should influence the Government to include in its A.R.P. programme underground roads, connected with the underground railways, which would insure the mobility of the cities even in the worst air raids, and also reduce street accidents and speed up traffic if air raids never come.

4. THERE must be a comprehensive programme to defeat panic. The first essential in this is work for all. Everyone must have his job to turn to immediately there is any danger.

My experience of Spain leads me to say that Silent Approach and High Explosive is such a strain on human nerves that they can only be fought with action. The man with nothing to do during an air raid but wait and get frightened is lost, and the city with crowds of waiting, frightened people dissolves into panic.

Our Government has made a very bad start in this task. The A.R.P. classes and gas-mask drills and tea-parties and so on are contemptible. They must be forgotten as soon as possible, and a programme of real activities substituted.

Here I must say a word to those who rightly fear the effects of "civilian regimentation."

We must have regimentation in peace and war alike. I approve, for example, of the regimentation of civilians to the extent of forcing them to reduce street accidents by driving to the left and stopping at traffic lights; and I approve of regimentation of civilians in so far as it is needed to prevent panic during an air raid.

I agree that there is a danger. And the Government has started badly by imposing air wardens on us instead of letting us elect our own, as they do in Barcelona. There must be democratic control of all that we are asked to do for A.R.P.

It must be quite clear that we wish to protect democracy against



by  
**John LANGDON-DAVIES**

Fascist air-bandits, and nothing else. That must be the condition of our co-operating in A.R.P.

But, if that is safeguarded, then, for heaven's sake, let us all take part in auxiliary fire brigade work, in blood transfusion services, in salvage corps' preparations, in emergency canteen work, in bandage making, in evacuation, not only for the sake of the community, but for our own nerves' sake.

5. WE must face up to the reality of air raids, and then we shall realise that they need not be as terrifying as most people who have not experienced them expect.

The real danger in a raid is that you feel yourself isolated without knowing what is going on around you. A.R.P. must fight this sense of helplessness.

In Barcelona, most people thought that the anti-aircraft batteries were bombs dropping; that is, they were frightened of their own side protecting them. A.R.P. must counteract this.

In many German towns there are already great masts in position for loud-speakers. I believe that the wireless is the one way to reassure people, and to explain to them what is going on during a raid.

I mention this solely as an example of the psychological approach that A.R.P. programmes must take to the problem of panic. So far, very little has been done in this way.

The whole policy of trying to make us "gas conscious" has been panic.

eye-witness of Barcelona's air raids, who told last week of the new terror of the Silent Approach and the fearful devastation of High Explosive bombs.

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## Love From A Stranger

HER average height, has a experience the desire to be loved. If she has personality her conventional palm beach. He comes into the picture, because in a different way, he's trying to get off. For every personality girl there with the stately brunettes sitting are a dozen dull ones, and the latter more often than not, find themselves sexually isolated. As a tired-looking little milliner once told a Reverend friend of mine: "A girl hasn't got much choice. The Landlady won't have a glance at the world, it's timed to encourage him as he walks past the cash desk. For a brief second his eyes meet, he fumbles with his change, drops it, and she picks it up, you're booked for the lift, for the shelf."

She's a shade too preoccupied with an orange squash to be entirely natural, and though her smile is just a good humoured glance at the world, it's timed to encourage him as he walks past the cash desk. For a brief second his eyes meet, he fumbles with his change, drops it, and she picks it up, you're booked for the lift, for the shelf."

"What's come over Haughty?" asks that piece of pertness. "That's the first time she's deigned to notice me." "The answer's in the lobby," I reply, paying my bill. "Oh, him. He's been doing his best to click with her for a week." She sniffed: "More fool her. I met my Bill in a bus, and look at me—two kids and a husband that's been out of work since he left school. Pick-ups aren't safe," she added wisely. "A girl ought to be introduced to a boy before she gives him the all clear."

### Don't Get Class Conscious

Before anyone gets all class conscious, it's as well to remember that "getting off" with a strange man isn't confined to the lower orders. Scores of well-to-do women with nothing in particular to occupy their time, are not averse to an affair with a presentable stranger, and many a smart drawing-room has been entertained with a spicily resume of an absent visitor's little adventure with a charming unknown.

Just where these experiments in love end is a matter of some speculation. Professor Hutchinson whose recently published "International Survey of Marriage" throws a good deal of light on the subject, affirms that twenty-eight per cent of all Western marriages are the result of chance encounters. The Professor who gathered his data by means of questionnaires, adds: "Replies received to a questionnaire addressed to a group of 100 women, representative of all strata of society, indicate that forty per cent have been intimate with men before marriage, of which twenty-two per cent state that prior to intimacy, they had no knowledge of the man or his background, and in some cases, were even in ignorance of his surname."

### Roots In The Economic

This method of selection is akin to backing a horse in a handicap, is a good deal more of a gamble, and prompts the question: Why? The answer, like most answers to modern problems, has its roots in the economic.

Every big city has its quota of lonely girls who, drawn by the glamour of bright lights and the lure of "being independent," leave home and friends to work in offices, shops and factories. Existing on a starvation wage, after the problem of looking smart has been solved, there is barely enough money in her purse to pay for food, lodgings, and transport, and most certainly nothing left over for club subscriptions, week-ends at home, or any of the little amenities that provide the all-important background that enables the right kind of social contacts to be made with the opposite sex.

### Desire To Be Loved

Nearly every woman, no matter how lacking in physical charms or how drab her personality, at one time or another in her life

### The Girl Friend Refuge

Absorbing as the doings of the rich and beautiful are to the novelists and playwrights, the girls who crowd the buses and tubes every morning, are more interesting to the sociologist. Daintily shod, their clothes clever copies of West End models, homely and handsome their faces are an expressionless as jungle cats. Living in a jungle, unarmed save for their sex appeal, life quickly for their daily bread, they soon learn that chivalry is a fairy tale.

### By Cedric ERLUND

and that men don't buy lunches and take you to the theatre for nothing. In exchange they allow kisses and caresses, and when the situation threatens to get out of hand, seek refuge in the society of a girl friend. Thus one sees numberless girls walking about in pairs, and sitting in tea shops and dango halls in groups of five or six. This clanishness is the result of sex antagonism; a kind of sex trade union that makes common cause against the common enemy, proper numbers, and never admits a male on terms of equality. Membership last until a girl, tired of the tawdry room, or the shrill sterility of a woman's hostel, seeks out a stranger in the hope that the happy ending that is a sine qua non of all her favourite film star's pictures, will be her fortune too.

### Led To The Altar And Waiting

How do they make out? Some, and there are more than the conditions argue, prove that all that appears on the silver screen is not because of the angle he wears his hat or for a carefree smile, he quite often develops into a satisfied and loved husband. Others, less fortunate, like the cashier discover that they have added to their troubles, and end by finding themselves the mainstay of a family whose head is either unable or unwilling to get work. Many more are silent as to their fate.

Whatever the last category's may be, it has very little to do with experience. Illogically, yet logically for the feminine sex will always pay half-a-crown to hear the future, and can be rolled upon to hang a man on an intuition, as often as not the more hard-boiled the lady, the more unfortunate her destiny turns out to be. Every printed a thousand never see the

light of day) the press publishes reports of girls led to the altar and left waiting there. Intelligent enough to make five shillings do the work of ten, accustomed to the catchpenny whirl of city life, these girls succumb as easily as their less sophisticated sisters in the country, to the blandishments of those who prey on the romantic instincts of women. Victims of romance, they will swallow the tallest tale that the plausible stranger cares to spin, and even when he's been publicly branded a liar, seducer, and thief, will continue to defend him against all cyners. Love from a stranger is seldom tepid, and long after the girl whose wedding packed St. Margaret's, has obtained her decree nisi, the women who fell in love with love, remain faithful to what might have been.

### The Ingenious Walter Samuel

That these cases are widespread is proved by police court records. Walter Samuel, who operated all over the world, defrauded thirteen hundred women aged fifteen to sixty, before the arrest cut short his lucrative career. Married and the father of three children, the ingenious Samuel wooed his quarry with impassioned tenderness. Having first charmed them, he gained their confidence by proposing at the same time intimating that the only obstacle was a small loan. This money was to enable his aged parents to make the long voyage (they always lived thousands of miles away) and rejoice in the spectacle of their only son being united to the loveliest girl in the world. Such a re-union would, the wily Samuel hinted, unlock the family purse, and put them both on easy street. He would still be reaping a rich harvest had it not been for a woman curiously cautious in matters more mundane than the heart. Fearing to trust the P.M.G. with so much money, she directed her brother who lived nearby the residence of Samuel's Pere, to deliver the money personally. The next mail brought the news that the ancestral home of the Samuels was the address of a small tobaccoist who, for a consideration, obliged Mr. Samuel by receiving and forwarding his letters.

### Missing Persons Bureaux

Sometimes love from a stranger ends in something worse than an aching heart and empty purse. Not all those who fatten on love starved women content themselves with money. Every year the Missing Persons Bureaux in the chief cities of the world deal with an average of three hundred thousand women who have unaccountably vanished from society. Many of these have disappeared of their own accord, others are the victims of White Slavery, while some have sought sanctuary in the river. The majority are traced and restored to their homes, but a very considerable number remain unsolved mysteries. Once in a while a trail of letters, pitifully baring a lonely girl's longing for a mate, or repeated claims on insurance companies, brings to light a series of cold blooded murders, the brutal violence of which shocks the world and confirms the worst fears of sorrowing parents. The unctuous G. J. Smith (him of the bathtub), hypnotic eyed, bearded Landru who married and murdered over three hundred women after robbing them of their little jewellery and money; Nell Cream the poisoner who was released from prison by the tender hearted and promptly poisoned four more unfortunate women in the interim, and a score of others are proof that a respectable appearance and a pleasant smile can mask evil that must astonish Satan himself. For every mass murderer brought to book, two go undetected—a grim reminder that love from a stranger is fraught with danger.

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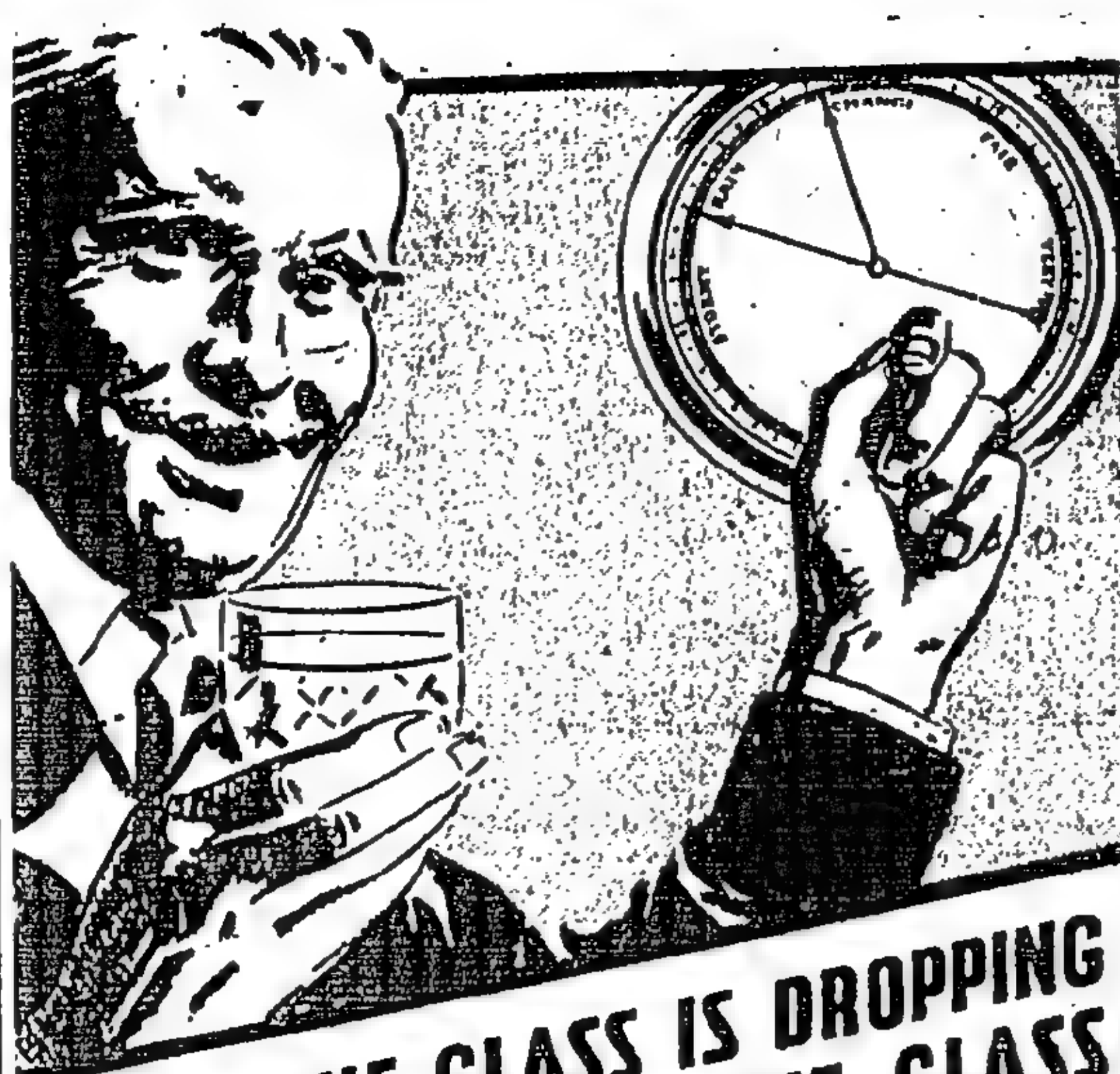
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#### PALACES FOR PAUPERS?

GOVERNMENT'S competent analysis of the facts when presenting its statement of policy on the refugee problem and destitution has not prevented the community from boggling at the answer. Few quarrel with the principle of official action. It is recognised that the wretched conditions imposed upon thousands of the poorest classes by the refugee influx, many of them members of the resident population thrust into the street by newcomers able to pay higher rents, others fugitives from Canton, Swatow and other parts of Kwangtung, without visible means of support, will inevitably become more acute in the winter months, creating a situation far beyond the capacity of local charitable organisations to handle. Government's estimate of 7,500 persons for whom accommodation and, maybe, food, will have to be provided is certainly conservative, and common humanity has dictated the official decision to finance palliative measures. The heartless doctrine that refugees unable to fend for themselves should be shunted back into China is one to which no thinking individual could possibly subscribe. Our own destitutes, upon whose heads additional troubles have been poured by reason of the refugee invasion, are surely entitled, in the special circumstances, to say the least, to just as much consideration as and equal treatment with strangers within our gates. There can be no reasonable challenge to the view of Government that the problem must be dealt with as a whole, without futile attempts to draw fine distinctions between one type of destitute and other.

Where ground for criticism does lie is (a) in the choice of sites and (b) in the capital cost of the proposed schemes. Public feeling in Kowloon has already been given expression in the special meeting of the K.R.A. Executive Committee called in response to an avalanche of letters protesting against the use of the Marina and the Kowloon Tsai area for refugee camps. The matter is to be raised in Urban Council by Dr. R. A. de Castro Basto who attacks the proposals from the viewpoint of the health of residents in nearby residential blocks. These complaints and protests may be, to some extent, selfish in instinct, but their validity is not necessarily brought into question for that reason. Kowloon has far too few amenities to accept lightly the destruction of what remains. The fact that the Marina is tentatively reserved for "transients" provides more disturbance in the minds of foreigners resident in Chatham and Mody Roads than were it a permanent camp. The prospect of a constant stream of individuals from here, there and everywhere, with cholera and typhoid abounding, is far from pleasant. At Kowloon Tsai, assurance is given that the camp will be constructed as far from Waterloo Road as possible, but considerable extension is possible, and the danger to health is undoubtedly very real.

As to cost, the estimates are so high as to be staggering. To accommodate 4,500 persons, 1,000 on the Marina, 2,000 at Kowloon Tsai and 1,500 at North Point, the proposals provide for expenditure of site preparation and erection of buildings to the tune of \$500,000, representing an initial outlay of more than \$100 per head. Government circles alone know what type of structure it is proposed to erect, but palaces for paupers seems, on these estimates, to be hardly wide of the mark. For \$500,000 it should be possible to build a permanent block of fifty Chinese tenement houses capable of accommodating 60 or more persons each. For less than \$2,500, the Army is providing winter quarters for an entire Indian battalion, in a matched cantonment. Food estimates, too, are on a similar scale. Not 20 per cent. of the Colony's working population can afford anything near \$6 per head per month for food and fuel. Destitutes will, on such a scale, become highly favoured guests who will not be at all anxious to have their departure expedited. In short, the scheme as it stands will lead the Colony directly into the pitfalls to which Mr. J. E. Baker bluntly drew attention in Shanghai this week.

## THIS WEEK

Increasing Japanese pessimism regarding the prospects of early peace and, therefore, regarding the final outcome of the war in China, entrusted with the task of obtaining from Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek something more than the capture of Kluksiang, in spite of the admitted importance of this key-point in the drive against Hankow. Development of the operations from Kluksiang have, in any event, proved far slower than was anticipated. Most of the railway to Nan-chang is non-existent, throwing the Japanese out of their stride. Pengtaoh and Hukou remain under constant threat, and the Navy, which has lost several more ships, is alone capable of guaranteeing an open line of communications. War gains become less and less vital importance. Chiang Kai-shek is clearly basing his strategy on the steady toll of the Japanese army on the road to Hankow while reserving his main strength for defence of Wuhan against troops which have been under long strain. Even if Hankow finally falls, heavy damage will have been inflicted on the Japanese Army and the war will still go on.

Japan, meanwhile, looks northwards with ever more anxious eyes. Troop movements are being kept as secretive as possible, but the abandonment of Shansi and Suiyuan, coupled with the sudden withdrawal from Shantung Province, for all but small garrisons in key cities, provides all the confirmation necessary for reports of heavy reinforcement of the Manchukuo forces. Twice have clashes occurred along the border, with losses on both sides. Both Japan and the Soviet desire to avoid serious conflict at this stage, but maintenance of tension and ill-will may easily take the decision out of the hands of the politicians.

Sharp language in the Houses of Parliament, stronger in the Lords than in the Commons, did nothing to improve Anglo-Japanese relations. Sir Robert

agreement seems to have been well based. So many "agreements" have petered out that not even the most optimistic observer — particularly now the Republicans are hitting back triumphantly on the Ebro — will wager on achievement. A French cartoonist has probably hit off the atmosphere most correctly in a caricature showing a domestic worker preparing a conference room for the Non-Intervention Committee. The head servant says to the worker: "Put the non-jug with the non-water on the non-table."

The Army again congratulated itself warmly upon the presence in the War Office of Mr. Leslie Hore-Belisha. His reforming zeal this week produced a revolutionary scheme which handsomely improves the position of junior officers, guarantees that they reach the rank of major after 17 years' service and greatly increases the prospects of promotion after that point. The retirement conditions, too, are calculated to provide military stimulation of respect for the Secretary of War. The Admiralty and Air Ministry to some extent immediately announced that they were falling into line with the general principle, but Mr. Hore-Belisha captured all the kudos.

The sinking of the British steamer "Dellwyn" in the British port of Gandia by insurgent bombers in the presence of a British destroyer created a very bad impression, through Mr. Chamberlain refused to permit himself to be ruffled. The Admiralty pointed out that orders preventing the destroyer from taking action, and Mr. Chamberlain's chief concern appeared to be the killing of the Non-Intervention Board officer. He might well fear refusal by other officers of the Board to engage in duties on British ships.

Meanwhile, Barcelona has accepted the British Plan for evacuation of volunteers in principle, while Burgos remains silent. The caution against social and economic conditions dictated quick results from the Non-Intervention Committee's

## Battle Of Ideas: by MONTAGU SLATER Highbrow Highlight

SOMEBODY has called the Exhibition of "Degenerate" German Art now being seen in London the exhibition "of a stuffed epoch." I think he may be right. But the stuffed specimen has some remarkable points of interest.

I believe "the stuffed epoch" is the epoch of a creature who is gradually dying off the earth's surface. I think it is he whom we have, as it were, stuffed in this exhibition. This creature is known as the highbrow.

I don't say we have got rid of the highbrow. We have not reached that happy stage of affairs by a long way yet. What I am arguing is that we can see now the beginning of the end of him. (I write as a reforming highbrow.)

When we see him "in period" we know that he shall presently be seeing him "out of date." And it seems to me that one of the points of this exhibition is that it helps to put him in period.

My argument proceeds like this. Painting in the 20th century got farther away from the vision of the majority of men than at any other time. And partly because in Germany this "highbrowism," this separatism, was pursued self-consciously and philosophically, but mostly because Hitler put an end so brutally to any development of 20th century art in Germany.

It is instructive to watch the development of a leading German innovator in paint who was sometimes a highbrow and sometimes a great deal better. The painter is Franz Marc. His development is very clearly shown in the new "Penguin Special," "Modern German Art," by Peter Thoenes, written specially for the Exhibition.

BEFORE the war Marc began by explaining himself thus:—"We are to-day seeking behind the veil of nature's outward appearance hidden things which seem to us more important than the discoveries of the Impressionists. . . . We are seeking, and

painting this spiritual side of our nature, not out of whim or for the joy of being different, but because we see this side just as formerly people suddenly 'saw' violet shadows and the atmosphere over all things. . . ."

"It is seriously believed that we new painters do not obtain our form from nature, that we do not wrest it from nature just as all artists in all ages have done? . . . Nature glows in our pictures as in every form of art. Nature is everywhere, in and outside us; there is only one thing that is not altogether nature, but rather the overcoming and interpreting of nature; art. Art always has been and is in its very essence the boldest departure, from nature and 'natureless'."

Thus it was as if he were answering in advance the sort of attack made on all "degenerate" painting by the Nazi spokesman. The Nazi-consigned to perdition those "who as a matter of principle see, or as they would perhaps say, experience meadows blue, the sky green and clouds sulphur yellow. . . . I wish in the name of the German people to forbid such la-

NOW, both attack and defence seem to be fighting a pointless battle. Of course, you can make a case with Marc that art is the opposite of nature. And you can make a case that art should hold the mirror up to nature. They are both true.

But when the painter Marc went to the war his approach to the problem became more fruitful. He called the war "A war on the subject of man's technical age."

He awoke to the fact that "the sacred knowledge of the new age is being not so much used as abused." If he had translated that into terms of his pre-war philosophy he might have said: "Nature is everything that is on the move, and art is one of the ways of guiding nature." And art and science that lead to war are misleading. That is a long way from the argument between his ghost and Goebbels. (To Be Continued)

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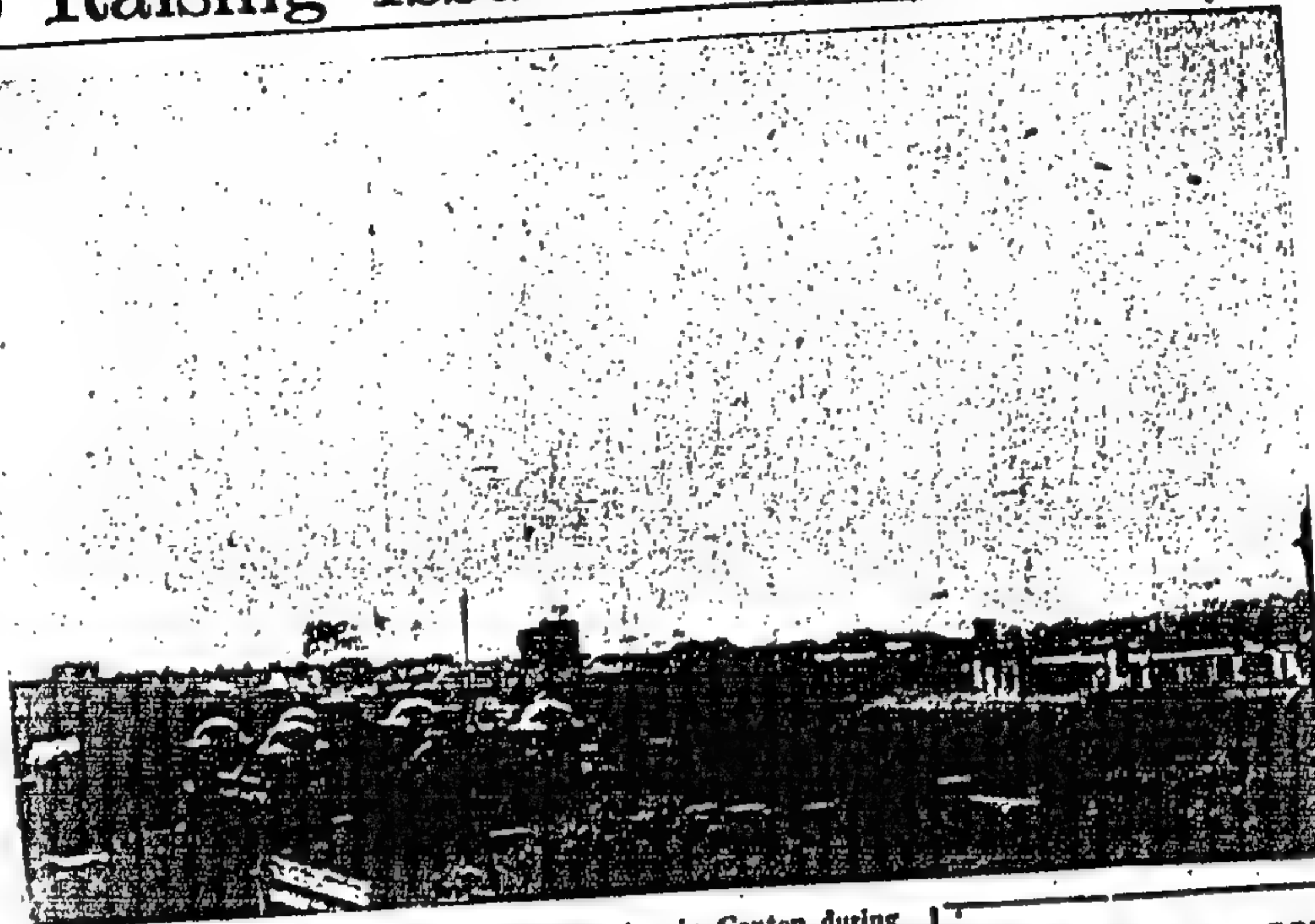
# KOWLOON'S PROTESTS AGAINST PROPOSED REFUGEE SITES

Dr. R. A. De Castro Basto Raising Issue In Urban Council

## Government Plan Held Menace To Health

Already the subject of strenuous protest by Kowloon residents through the K.R.A., the siting of the refugee camps proposed by Government for Kowloon is to be challenged in Urban Council on Tuesday by Dr. R. A. de Castro Basto.

The questioner, by implication, contends that the presence of refugees in the areas chosen would constitute a menace to the health of existing residents.



A remarkable picture showing bombs bursting in Canton during a recent air raid.

## SEGREGATION OF CHOLERA SUSPECTS

A suggestion that the present system of segregating cholera suspects may constitute a danger to individuals not actually suffering from the disease, is made in questions to be asked in Urban Council on Tuesday afternoon, by Mr. B. Wong Tape.

Mr. Wong Tape will ask, with reference to the segregation of cholera patients:

- (1) Will the Chairman kindly state whether it is a fact that suspected cases of cholera, are being sent to and detained at the Infectious Diseases Hospital.
- (2) It is possible to create an Observation Ward for such cases, so as to obviate the hardship of confining these patients with actual cholera cases and exposing them to infection.

Miss Mary Shui, a teacher at the Salvation Army Home, has reported the loss of a rattan basket containing two pairs of spectacles and money to the value of \$37.50 while picnicking with a party of the girls at Diamond Hill on Friday.

Dr. R. A. de Castro Basto, pursuant to notice, will ask:—  
"With reference to Government's proposal to build refugee camps in Kowloon (Tai, North Point, and the Marina Site, will the Chairman kindly reply to the following questions:

- (1) What were the reasons governing the choice of these sites?

- (2) Will Government kindly consider the following objections to the proposed sites viz:

- (a) That they are within or in close proximity to residential areas.
- (b) That the refugees will in all probability over-run the neighbouring residential areas, lounging about and committing other forms of nuisances.

- (c) That the presence of such a large number of refugees is a menace to the health of the population in general, and to that of the near-by residents in particular.

### N. T. ALTERNATIVE?

- (3) Has Government considered the advisability of building these camps in the New Territories?

- (4) If so, what are the main objections to building them in that part of the Colony?

- (5) Will Government kindly consider the whole question and if possible choose some other sites for the purpose?

## GOVERNMENT REJECTS PROPOSAL FOR JEWISH VOLUNTEER CORPS

London, Yesterday.

The Colonial Minister, Mr. Malcolm Macdonald, addressing the House of Commons on the situation in Palestine, stated that although unrest continued, the extent at the present moment could not be clearly ascertained.

THE MINISTER, HOWEVER, EMPHASISED THAT THE SOURCE OF UNREST WAS OUTSIDE PALESTINE FOR AS IT WAS GENERALLY KNOWN THAT BANDS OF ARMED ARABS CROSSED THE FRONTIERS OF PALESTINE.

## CRETE RISING SUPPRESSED: PEOPLE LOYAL

Athens, Yesterday.

The newly appointed Governor of Crete, M. Marellis, has telegraphed to the Greek Prime Minister that the rebellion has been completely crushed, states an official report issued here.

The rebels were driven out of the town of Cana and public buildings there were again occupied by the Greek Government.

A state of siege still prevails in Cana.

In the neighbourhood of Candia, several infantry battalions, naval infantry detachments, four torpedo boats and 25 military aeroplanes are assembled.

A further report states that the majority of the population of Crete were not in league with the rebels but remained loyal to the Government.—Trans-Ocean.

### ROADS UNDER GUARD

Athens, Yesterday.  
Following suppression of the revolt at Cana, all roads leading to the town are heavily guarded by military and arrests of suspects continue.

The casualties in the rising have been given as three rebels wounded and three troops wounded.

The citizens of Cana are celebrating a Te Deum organised by the workmen.—Router.

## STILL WAITING FOR BURGOS

London, Yesterday.

A statement about the answers received from Spain, concerning the British plan for withdrawal of foreign volunteers was made in the House of Commons yesterday by the Under Secretary of State, Mr. R. A. Butler, who said that the answer of the Republican Government contained a number of objections but the British Gov-

## IMPORTED MILK STORY

At Tuesday's meeting of the Urban Council, Mr. B. Wong Tape, pursuant to notice, will ask:—  
(1) Has the attention of the Council been drawn to the report which appeared in the "Hong Kong Telegraph" of the 19th instant with reference to the sale in the Colony of milk imported from Canton and Macau.

(2) Has the truth of this report been verified.

(3) What action is being taken by this Council to ensure that such milk is not being brought into the Colony.

Regarding further developments, Mr. Macdonald said that he did not know at the present time whether, when the House re-assembled on November 1, the Government would be in a position to make a statement on future policy.

No assurance about the matter could be given until the partition commission now in Palestine had finished its labours.

Answering a question by Mr. C. Mander, as to whether the Government had considered the formation of a Jewish Volunteer Corps in order to provide now for the defence of those Jewish parts of Palestine to be included in the new Jewish State, the Minister answered that he considered the formation of such a Volunteer Corps neither possible nor necessary.

Concerning the role of Jews in Palestine, the Minister declared that at present 750 Jews were serving in the regular police, 3,040 were acting as special Jewish police and a further reserve of 2,400 men were ready for an action at any moment should an emergency arise.—Trans-Ocean.

## TWO ARABS SHOT BY POLICE

Jerusalem, Yesterday.

According to a report from Haifa, two Arabs were killed during a shooting affray between Arab Nationalists and police in the Jewish settlement of Ramat-Yahnan near Haifa yesterday.

A report from Beirut, Syria, states that a general strike was proclaimed there as protest against the latest outages in Palestine.

The report adds that the situation in Beirut is extremely strained. Inhabitants are afraid to leave their homes and prefer to stay behind hermetically-closed doors and windows in spite of the extreme heat which prevails in the city at the present time.—Trans-Ocean.

ornment, regarded the prompt answer from Barcelona as acceptance of the Non-intervention plan as a whole.

As far as he knew, added Mr. Butler, Burgos was still examining the plan.—Trans-Ocean.

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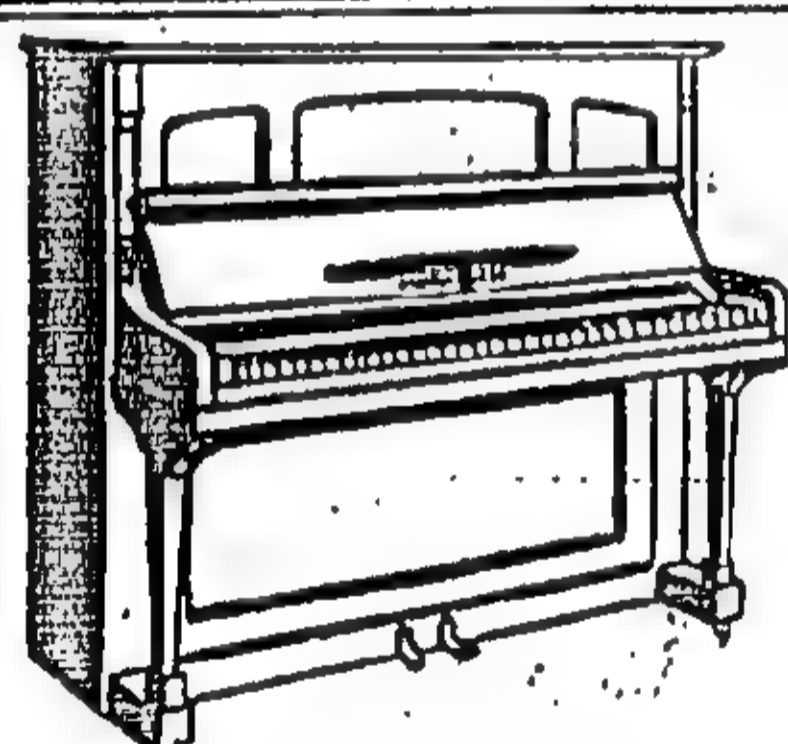
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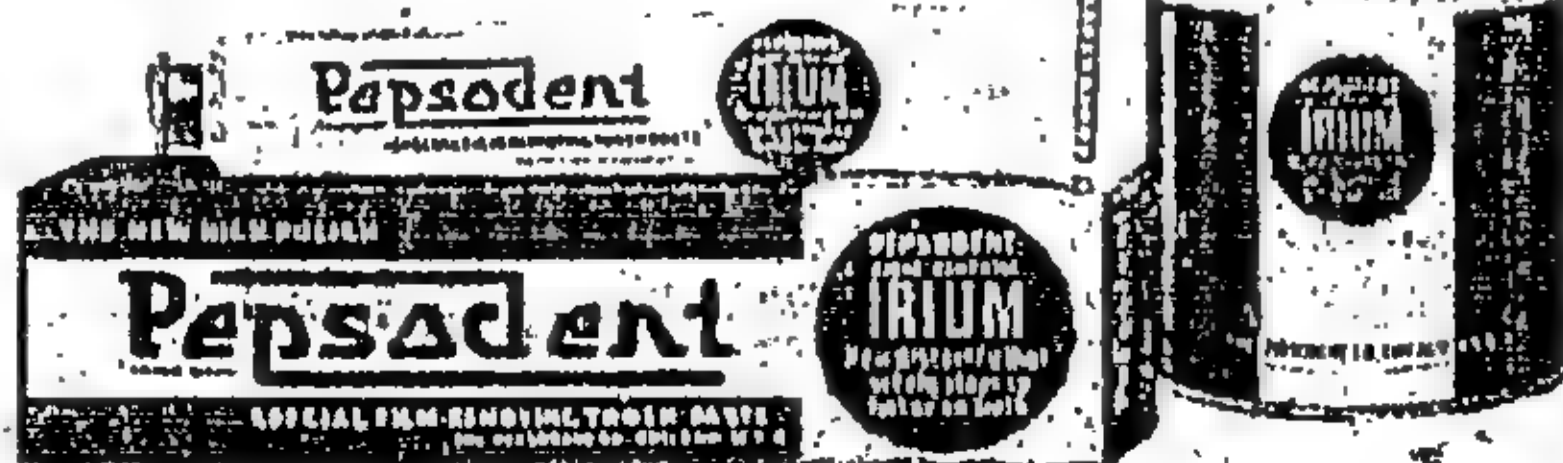
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## THE OTHER SIDE

IN the years immediately preceding the Great War two things could be foretold with safety. One was that sooner or later some country was going to make a trial of a socialist form of government, and the second that some day the art of publicity, which had then got fully into its stride in the commercial world, would be used also for political ends. What no one would have ventured to prophesy was that the first socialist state would beat commercial publicity experts on their own ground. In the early days of Soviet Russia I attended an International Exhibition somewhere in Germany in which the U.S.S.R. was represented for the first time. It "stole the show" from all the other nations, and though one left the pavilion with a very hazy idea of what the new Soviet State stood for, one realised that a new power had come into the world. One day while going around among the Russian exhibits I met a middle-aged American with whom I had struck up a nodding acquaintance during the previous days. He said to me: "I am an old advertising man and all I can say is that these guys know how to sell Russia, but you can take it from me that they're going to keep the selling in their own hands for a long time to come. Because," he added after a pause, "you notice that they provide all their own testimonials."

Many others have since been shrewd enough to see what he saw, but it was too late, because Russian propaganda had already conquered the field.

It is an unpopular thing to talk about Russian propaganda nowadays, because one is credited with being a simpleton if one believes in it. Yet the fact of its existence. If you doubt it, write to "Radio Centro, Moscow," and ask for some information, and see the result. At the exhibition to which I referred, I was literally offered more publicity matter than I could carry. Anyone who has seen the elaborate publications which the Russian government issues, and has taken the trouble to investigate the methods used to circulate them in any one country, will not be in any doubt of the fact, whatever he may think of the influence, of Russian propaganda.

## National Propaganda To-day

Every country, it is true, now uses propaganda. Some countries have even made the direction of it a cabinet position. In Germany, the Ministry of Propaganda is apparently regarded as one of the most important of all, and no one can be blind to its success within the Reich, which was the object at which Dr. Goebbels aimed. In Italy, experts showmanship had a very large part in the growth of fascism. In France the first Ministry of Propaganda was entrusted, under a socialist government, to one of the ablest men in the country. In England, compare the feeble methods of advertising recruiting during the war with the present unprecedented popularity of the army — in spite of some unwelcome reforms. Is it accidental that probably the most brilliant master of publicity who ever reached Cabinet rank in England is at present Minister of War? When the position of Director-General of the B.B.C. fell vacant recently and the campaign was carried on the press (with the papers reported, the support of Sir John Reith and the Archbishop of Canterbury) to prevent a Catholic being appointed to the post — for a Catholic happened to be deputy-director — the reason given was that the B.B.C. is such an important vehicle of propaganda. A month or two ago when an American newspaper that had not been particularly interested in the Spanish question up to then, published something in condemnation of Communist activity in Spain, the editor received from the Spanish Embassy in Washington books and pamphlets and leaflets that would have cost in postage more than eight U.S. dollars if they had not, under the guise of diplomatic documents, been handled free by the United States Post Office.

## Are You A Propaganda Victim?

No one can doubt any longer the existence of National propaganda.

### Russian Propaganda

Political propaganda in fact, plays quite as prominent a part in the world now as commercial advertising does in business, and in politics as in business, some particular brands, not necessarily the best, advertise the most widely and capture public approval. No political policy or party has ever made such an effort to advertise itself and win public support as Russian Communism. Its diplomatic representatives have been proved in the United States and France, at least, to be active propagandist agents; its commercial agents (since all commercial companies are under state control) have been proved in England to be carrying on political propaganda; the films it has sent out are largely propagandist, and, most of all, it maintains an international organisation, the Comintern, to spread its propaganda throughout the world. In the press, it has very largely reached the point which an American leader boasted it had reached in the United States, when it no longer needs direction, for others are carrying on for them the work which they began. A good example of this was given in Hong Kong not long ago. When a paper decided to devote a page to

greatest screen masterpiece, then he will be a fervid Communist for the rest of his life and will provide most useful cannon-fodder for the next glorious revolution. But if he has learned by now that superlatives have lost their meaning and that there are more colours in the world than red and black, then he will develop, a suspicion that all that is red is not always rosy, and he will try to check up the facts.

During the past few months anyone who listened regularly will have noticed that Moscow was always in advance in its anti-German news from Prague, in its accounts of "Government" victories in Spain, in its reports of "proved" attacks by "Nationalist" aeroplanes over the French frontier, and in its continued pressure against Mr. Chamberlain. In the details of Spanish news, it is most illuminating to notice the way in which the press gives special prominence to the same reports as those that are broadcast from Moscow, and then to notice how many of these are contradicted later on—but not by Moscow. This test does not belong to the past. It can be applied at any time. I can guarantee that it will prove interesting and instructive.

### Emphasis

The other test can be applied even without the help of a radio. Look at the general emphasis in the news, and see the steady current of sympathy towards Soviet Russia and its communist friends. Compare the relative stress laid on terrorism in Russia and in Germany; compare the prominence given to air-raids on towns by the "Government" and by the Nationalist armies in Spain; compare the relative prominence given to reports of fascist influence in Brazil and Rumania with reports of communist influence in Czechoslovakia and Poland—and, above all, in all these instances compare the colouring favourable to the communist side in the first reports with the real facts that became apparent later on. Note too the "plugging" of news—the way in which one incident that tells against the enemies of communism is kept dangling before the eyes of the public, as if it more than counteracts all that was reported on the other side. A recent example was the prominence given to the damage done in an air-raid to the Cathedral of Barcelona, a "gem of mediaeval art" (which it is not), though practically nothing is said about the frequent attacks on Toledo cathedral and the total destruction of hundreds of churches and thousands of works of art by those who favour the Government side.

No one likes to be deceived, and no one likes to admit that he has been deceived, but when there is danger of deception it is well to be very much on the alert. Lenin, the chief exponent of the theory that "the end justifies the means," approved of deception, just as he approved of murder, as a legitimate means to be used in the spread of communism. His followers have not been more scrupulous. There is something wrong about people who demand absolute freedom of speech for themselves but deny it to others; who demand the right to spread their teaching in all countries, but rigidly suppress any doctrine except their own among their own people; who protest when any of their supporters are arrested for creating a disturbance and hail the arrested men as martyrs, but who allow not a breath of protest against their own actions or their own programme; who demand all the advantages that democracy can give but allow none of these advantages to anti-communists. These are the characteristics of the Russian communists. Everyone who knows both sides of the issue that it claims to cure; that the news is aware of them. If every advertised hotel is really distinguished for the excellence of its cuisine and the courtesy of its staff and is a genuine home from home; and that every cinema support special is really a record-breaker, a stupendous drama and a world's

### Two Tests

If anyone doubts that the prevailing tone of the press is that which is guided by Russian communist direction, let him apply two very simple tests: First, let him listen for a month regularly to the broadcasts from Moscow, and let him note how the items of news (for example about the Spanish war); the interpretation of events, and the numerous hints and suggestions about political affairs in various countries, appear regularly in the newspapers after they have been broadcast from Moscow, even if many of them later prove to be false. Secondly, let him note the steady emphasis on news favourable to Communism and to the policy of the Comintern. A month of news from Moscow is calculated to make a person either a confirmed communist or anti-communist. If he is the kind of person who believes that every latest patent medicine cures all the ills that it claims to cure; that the news is aware of them. If every advertised hotel is really distinguished for the excellence of its cuisine and the courtesy of its staff and is a genuine home from home; and that every cinema support special is really a record-breaker, a stupendous drama and a world's

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# ARMING BRITISH SHIPS

## Mediterranean Craft Having Decks Made Ready For Guns

London, Yesterday.

Liners, now in the Port of London, which use the Mediterranean route, are having their decks strengthened to allow guns to be mounted.

These precautions are not intended as a protection against Spanish civil war risks, but are part of the Government's plans for defence of merchant shipping in the event of a major war.

The guns will be of 6in. calibre, firing 100 pound shells. Several extra thicknesses of metal will be needed to bear the weight of guns and mountings.

Other alterations are also being made in the ships to allow for the storage of ammunition and the use of paravanes as a defence against mines.

At the same time, special gunnery instruction is being given to merchant navy officers. Last week, the first of a series of practical gunnery courses begins at London, Glasgow, South Shields, Cardiff and Hull.

Engineers have been given gunnery and anti-gas training. Ship's doctors and pursers have received anti-gas instruction.

## CAMPAIGN AGAINST NOISY DRIVERS

(“Sunday Herald” Special)

The unnecessary sounding of motor-horns in the Central District has considerably diminished, as the result of action by the Traffic Department which has charged over 70 offenders since the beginning of the year. “The situation is still far from satisfactory,” commented Traffic Inspector S. C. Saunders yesterday, pointing out that many motorists still persist in sounding their horns when it is entirely unnecessary.

Motorists are asked to co-operate with the authorities and assist to bring about an improvement.

## CORRESPONDENCE

### CUT HIS THROAT—HE'S A FASCIST

Sir,—I have been following Father Ryan's articles in your paper with considerable interest, and, with all due respect, I wish to bring certain points to his attention, regarding his last article “Cut His Throat He's a Fascist.”

The whole article is an example of false reasoning. It could be analysed thus: three plus one is equal to two. The whole idea that at the moment all democrats have a burning desire to decapitate Fascists—or rather to decapitate them in particular—is entirely unjustified.

“The whole campaign against Fascism is genuinely nothing else than a smoke-screen for communism.” Surely this statement is a gross untruth. Fascism and Communism alike threaten Democracy. Why should Democrats be any more hostile to fascists than to communists? Why does Father Ryan not say that “the whole campaign against communism is genuinely nothing else than a smoke-screen for fascism?” I admit there is a little more “talk” against fascism to-day than there is against communism. This is, however, due to the fact that people are comparatively tired of talking about the evils of communism and as fascism is a more modern topic it has been chosen by some in preference to communism. I must, however, remark that this is not the case in Japan. Here the people think and talk about what the Government thinks and talks about, and who can deny that Italy is a friendly power towards Japan?

Father Ryan endeavours to point out in more than one of his “tests” that Italy and Germany are content to have their “internal politics” in their own respective countries, and that they have no wish to “plant” them on anybody else. He can then, I presume, explain the growth of the Nazi party in Czechoslovakia, Rumania and other countries. I only trust that he will not say this is due to the fact that the latter countries so appreciated the German system of government that they, of their own will, have adopted them (to a certain extent of course). If Mussolini is not interested in spreading the doctrine of fascism what is the point of his Spanish campaign? Surely not merely to exercise the Italian Army. The latter, one would imagine, should have had quite sufficient exercise in the playing fields of Abyssinia.

Lastly, why talk of Democratic ill-feeling towards fascism? Why not, Father Ryan, talk of fascist ill-feeling towards Democracy? I tremble lest you answer that fascists bear no ill-will towards Democracy. We have had too many of this kind of retort since the outbreak of hostilities in China.

Yours, etc.  
H. C.

### WHEN IS A HORSE A WORK OF ART?

London, Yesterday.  
It is revealed that a minor hitch occurred in the recent negotiations for the transmission to Italy of the £60,000 paid by Mr. M. H. Benson for the Italian racehorse, Nearco. Mr. Benson purchased the animal from Signor Federico Tesio, its Italian owner, after it won the Grand Prix.

In a friendly way there was a discussion between England and Italian officials on whether the animal was a horse or “a work of art” for trade purposes.

The Italian Embassy contended that Nearco was “entitled to be classified as a work of art,” and was outside the scope of the Clearing House. Considering it a pretty point, the Clearing House and the Board of Trade officials handling it conferred and ruled that Nearco came under the heading of “goods grown, produced or manufactured in Italy,” and thus within the ambit of the regulations governing the clearing agreement. The £60,000 will, therefore, go through the Clearing House.

## Additional Car Parks For Colony

(“Sunday Herald” Special)

Arrangements are now being made by the Police Traffic Department to create additional car parks owing to the increasing number of private motor-cars in the Colony, which now total over 4,000.

A new parking area will be established along the east side of Ice-house Street, between Des Voeux Road Central and Connaught Road Central, and another along the east side of Jubilee Street, between Connaught Road Central and Des Voeux Road Central.

The “Sunday Herald” also learns that the rickshaw stand near the Star Ferry Wharf, is to be shortened, and the space allotted to car parking.

## CORRESPONDENCE

### Plea For The Long-Suffering Tommy

Sir,—While the long suffering Tommy is under discussion, and while interest is centered around him, may I please take a little space in your esteemed columns to point out what I believe to be a very sore point.

This point is Church Parades. The soldiers I have in mind are personnel of the Royal Signals, yet I believe the same state of affairs exists with nearly all troops in the Colony.

However, I attend the church in Kowloon almost every Sunday, and see nine or ten Signals who have been detailed to attend the 11 a.m. service.

These men have to report to a sergeant and wait outside until told to go inside. While waiting, they are treated to a good helping of what Cavalryman last week called the “affected nose.” This

from the civilians attending the service.

They eventually go inside, where they are under the supervision of another N.C.O. who sees that the men do not unfasten their tunic collars.

Here I would like to say that these men are dressed in tight fitting tunics, puttees, and field boots, a hot dress at most times in this climate.

Yet they have to sit in an allotted place, with the sun on the windows, where incidentally there is an absence of fans. The natural impulse when persons are treated with disdain is to give the place where he is so treated a wide berth. Tommy can't even do that. If he doesn't turn up to be sniffed at, he gets it in the neck. He gets confinement to barrack and has to parade in full marching order at 5 a.m. and 6 p.m. He also loses his pass for one month or three, according to how many days C. R. he gets. While he has lost his pass, he cannot wear plain clothes. He must also be in barrack by 10 p.m. I wonder how the people who could do something about it would feel, if they were ordered to go to church, and have to report themselves like parole men, and sit baking like Xmas turkeys, in an atmosphere where it is impossible to feel at ease. Discipline? Even so it could at least be humanized. A thing like this doesn't help religion, rather the reverse. These men can't fight it because their means would not get past the Sergeant Major, and things would probably be made even more unpleasant for them.

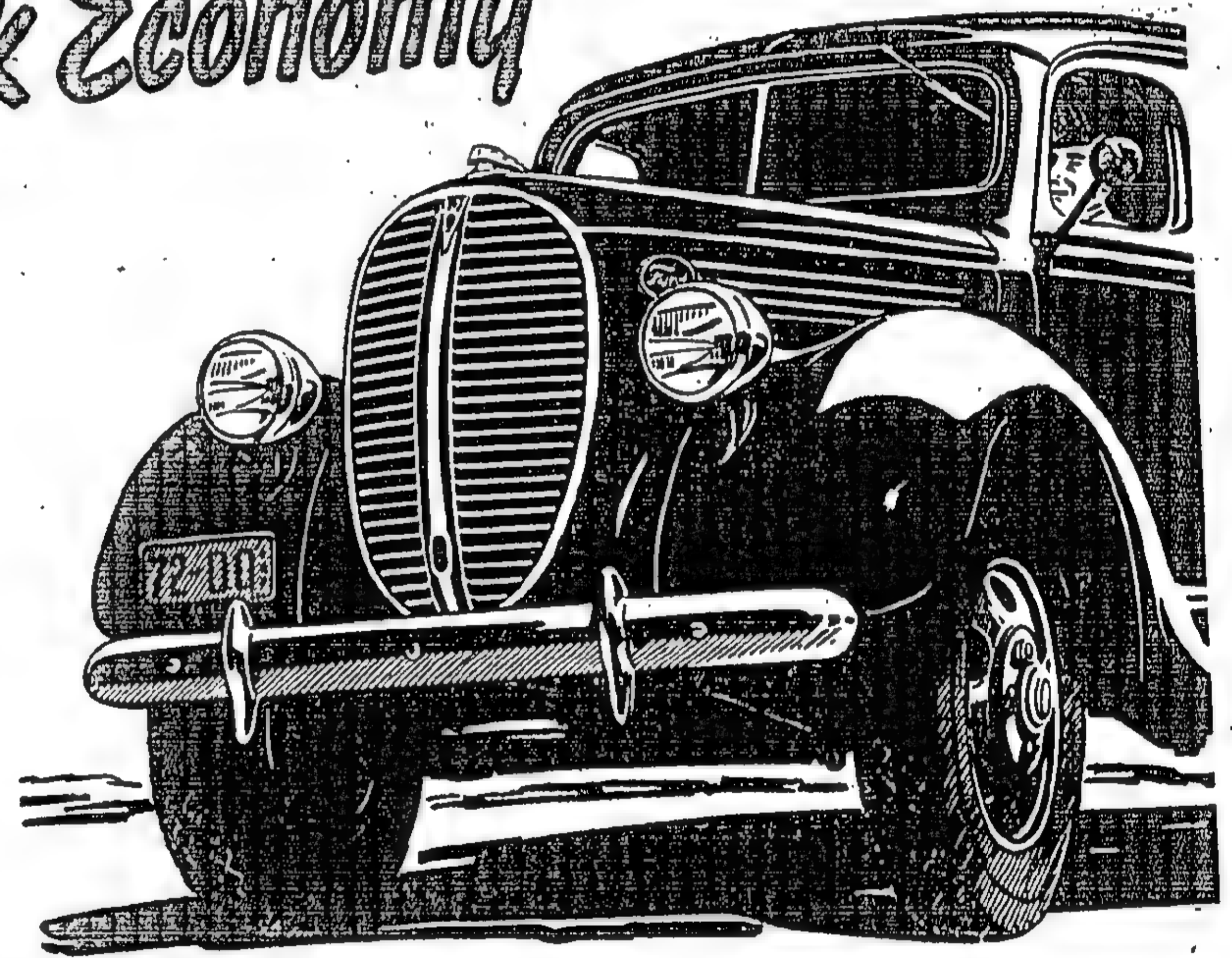
All they can do is go on with it with the regrettable outcome that church must grow a little more hateful to them. If soldiers must go to church, why can't they go as civilians? R. C. S. do so, why not C. of E.s? After all, if a dog has to go over a stile, there is surely no need to kick him over. I hope in the near future to see a change for the soldiers' betterment while attending church, and maybe a little practical religion would go a long way to expel this deplorable state of affairs.

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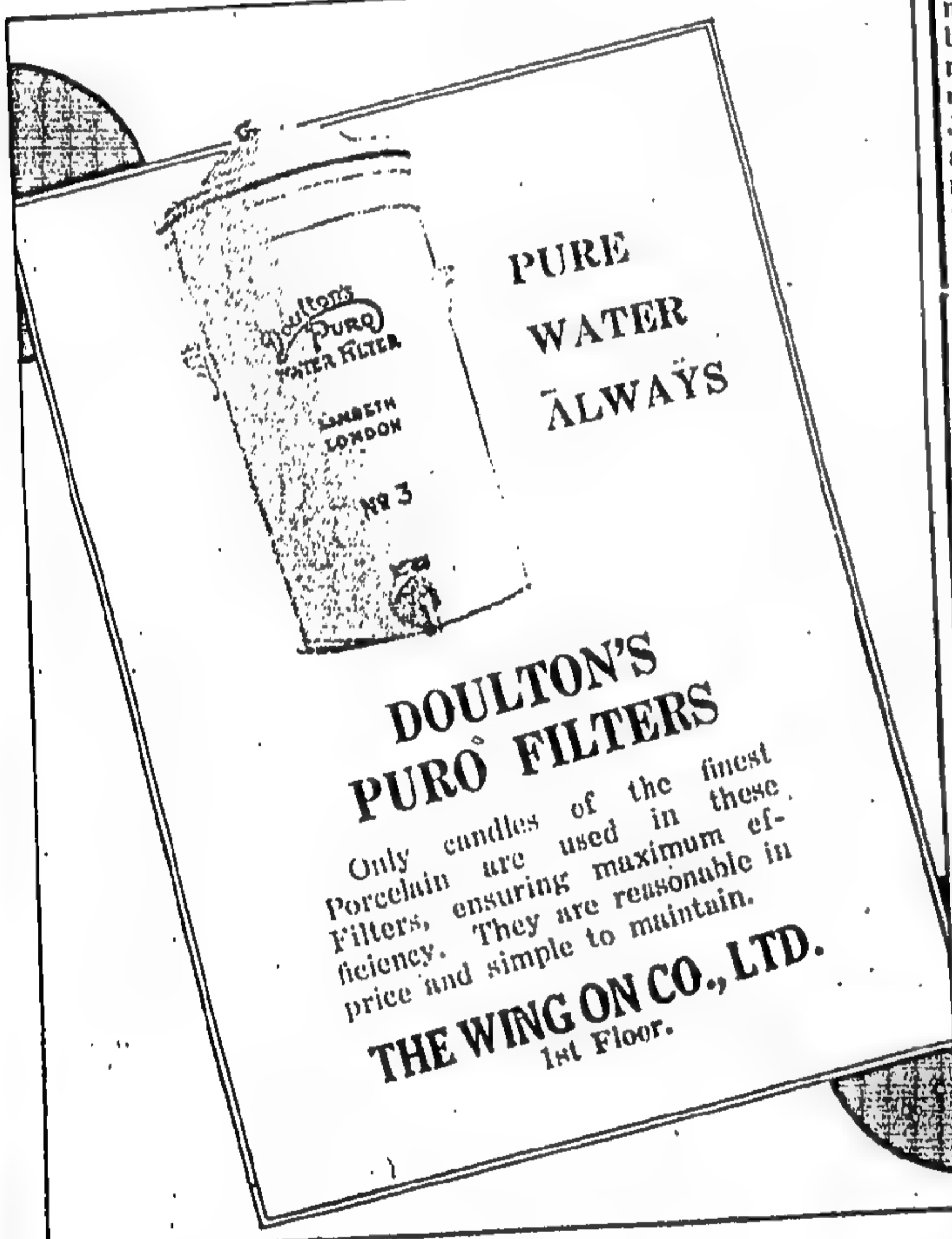
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# Duty And Dirty Necks

THOSE of you who have just begun to anticipate water restrictions before the winter is through, will be interested in the suggestion made at a recent meeting of the Biggleswade Water Board:

That as an emergency measure, necessitated by the shortage of water, people should take a bath once a fortnight instead of once a week.

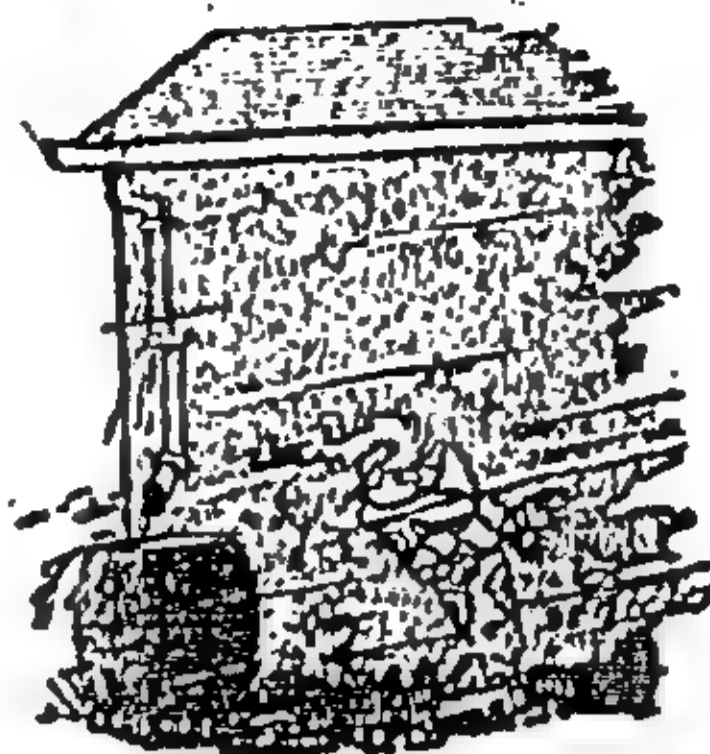
Now, I am no bath addict. I can take it or leave it. And, though it may be a harmless thing in moderation, the excessive washing practised by many of my fellow countrymen gives me great concern.

It is not, I am glad to say, a universal habit. The English are a landless people. Since the enclosure of the commons and the progressive sacrifice of agricultural life to industrialism, they have been gradually dispossessed of their rightful share of earth. It is, therefore, natural that most of them have a strong instinct to preserve intact such soil as they have managed to accumulate on their persons, for that is all they possess.

It is among the middle-class that bath-taking is carried to the extreme. Not only is this dangerous to health, interfering, as it does, with the normal protective function of the skin, but with an increasing number of people it is becoming a serious obsession.

If they cannot have a bath every day they become nervous and distraught, and they cannot sleep at nights in any house unless they are assured that an inexhaustible supply of water is laid on.

It is curious how the English middle-class, who are always complaining that there is too much



They make a fuss because there is no water laid on water out of doors, also complain if it is not brought in as well.

This is a pity, as it prevents their enjoyment of the simple country life, for which they have a natural predilection.

I have seen people nervy and irritable while on a visit to England because there is no bath in the cottage and they have to walk out in the rain to fetch in the water from the well.

Yet, in many cases, these walks are most pleasant. In the case of my own residence you get a fine

by  
YAFFLE

view of the hills all the way, and, with the wind blowing off the sea most of the time, one cannot fail to derive benefit from these daily excursions, whether they are taken on foot or with the aid of bicycle, scooter, or roller-skates.

I have made it clear, I think, that I hold no brief for washing. Nevertheless, as a democrat, I hold that a man has a right to



Hopeless victims of the bath habit.

choose his own pastime, so long as it does not interfere with the health or happiness of others.

And, much as I dislike the habit myself, I admit I have never suffered any discomfort or inconvenience from the proximity of bath-takers. If in the pursuit of their idiosyncrasy they tend to keep breakfast waiting, nothing is simpler than to stay in bed a bit longer oneself.

Further, the fact that it is inimical to perfect health is no reason for forbidding it. In considering human welfare one must take mental and psychological factors into account, as well as purely physical ones. And in a complex, nerve-racking civilisation a certain number of what may be technically termed vices are necessary to the maintenance of national morale.

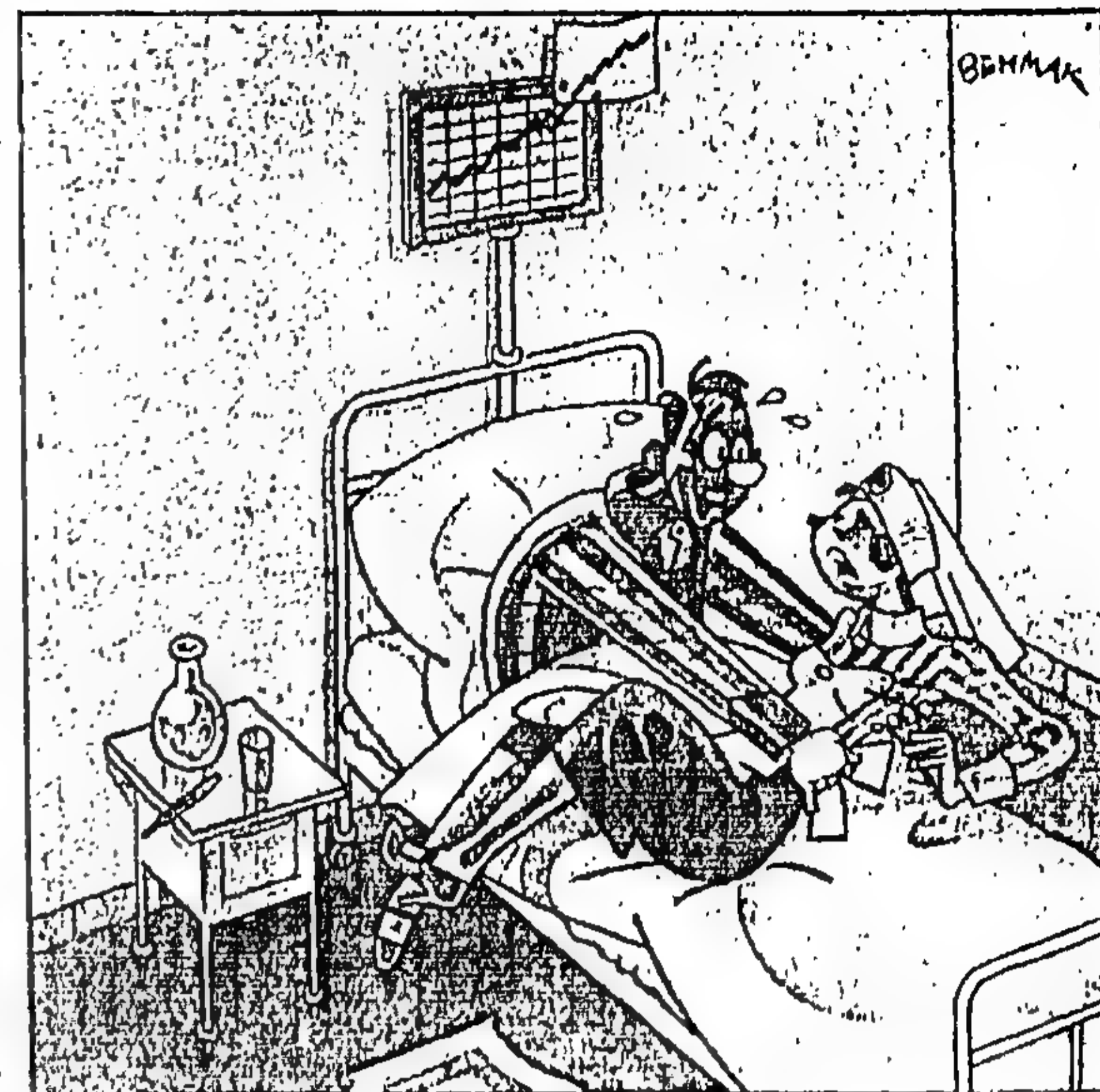
Speaking broadly, tobacco, alcohol, and soap are the three vices most necessary to psychological equilibrium in the modern world. And though I consider that the increase of washing is approaching the danger point of mania, the fact remains that while I smoke and drink, I cannot reasonably object to anyone having baths.

There is, however, the economic side of the question to be considered.

The function of a modern economic system is to mortify the flesh. Its method is to produce as many things as possible, and then see how many of them we can do without.

But it is obvious that a man must first have things before he can enjoy the moral and economic benefit of dispensing with them. You cannot economise in something you never had. And we must see that an adequate water supply is laid on to every dwelling-place before we can derive the advantages of having it cut off.

The present water shortage is not the right kind of shortage. It is not financially sound. The weather did not first consult the banks nor did a single economist prophesy the drought. The Bank did not order the Government to empty the reservoirs and



"Sir! Are you ill. . . ?" Nature, and that the water shortage is a proof of prosperity. Even the most confirmed bath-taker will be consoled, for he will regard his dirty neck as a lasting assurance that the Colony has turned the corner.

Therefore, before our water shortage can be established on a sound economic basis we must first give the people more water than they need, and then take it away again.

This can easily be done. There is plenty of water in the ground if we only dig for it. The cost of digging will be added to the water rate. The price of baths will be doubled, and they will be made compulsory in every home. And as soon as this programme is completed, and the water supply increased beyond the possibility of its being affected by drought, the local authorities will cut it off every alternate week.

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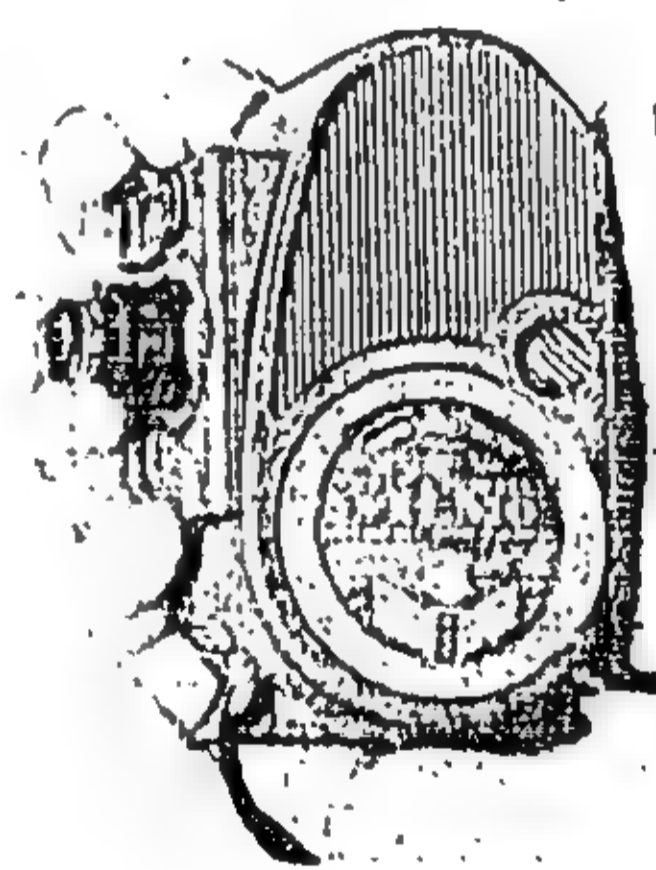
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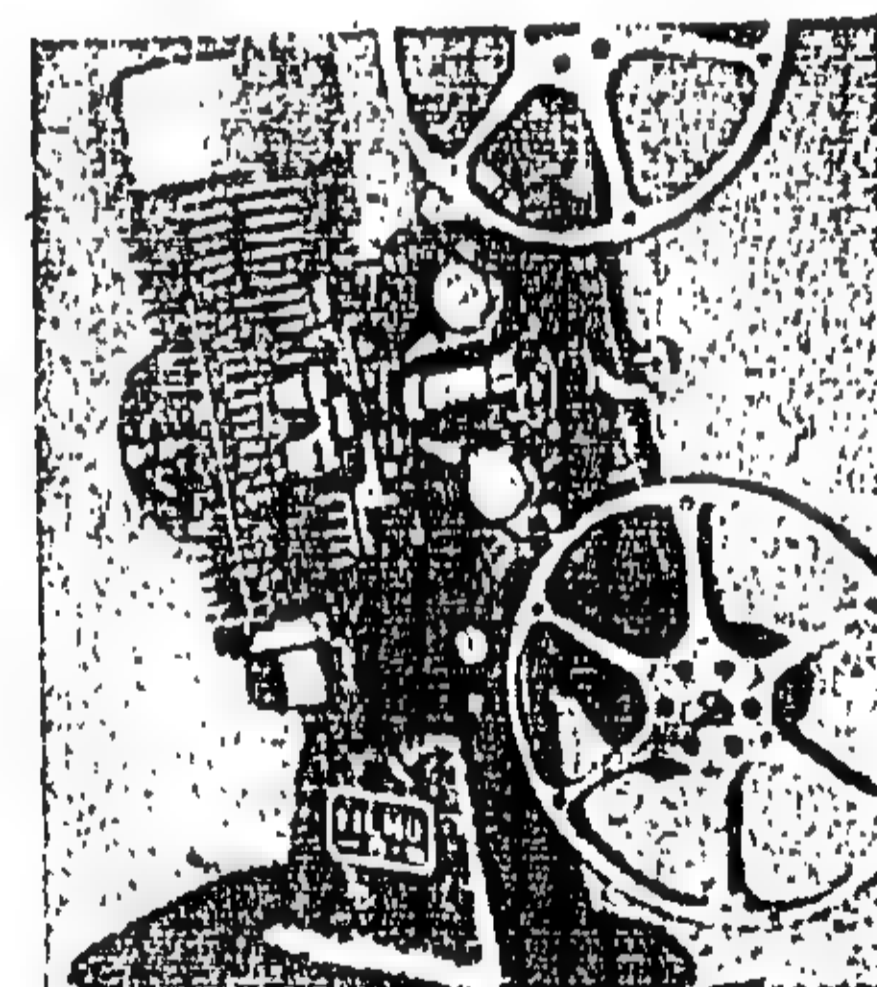
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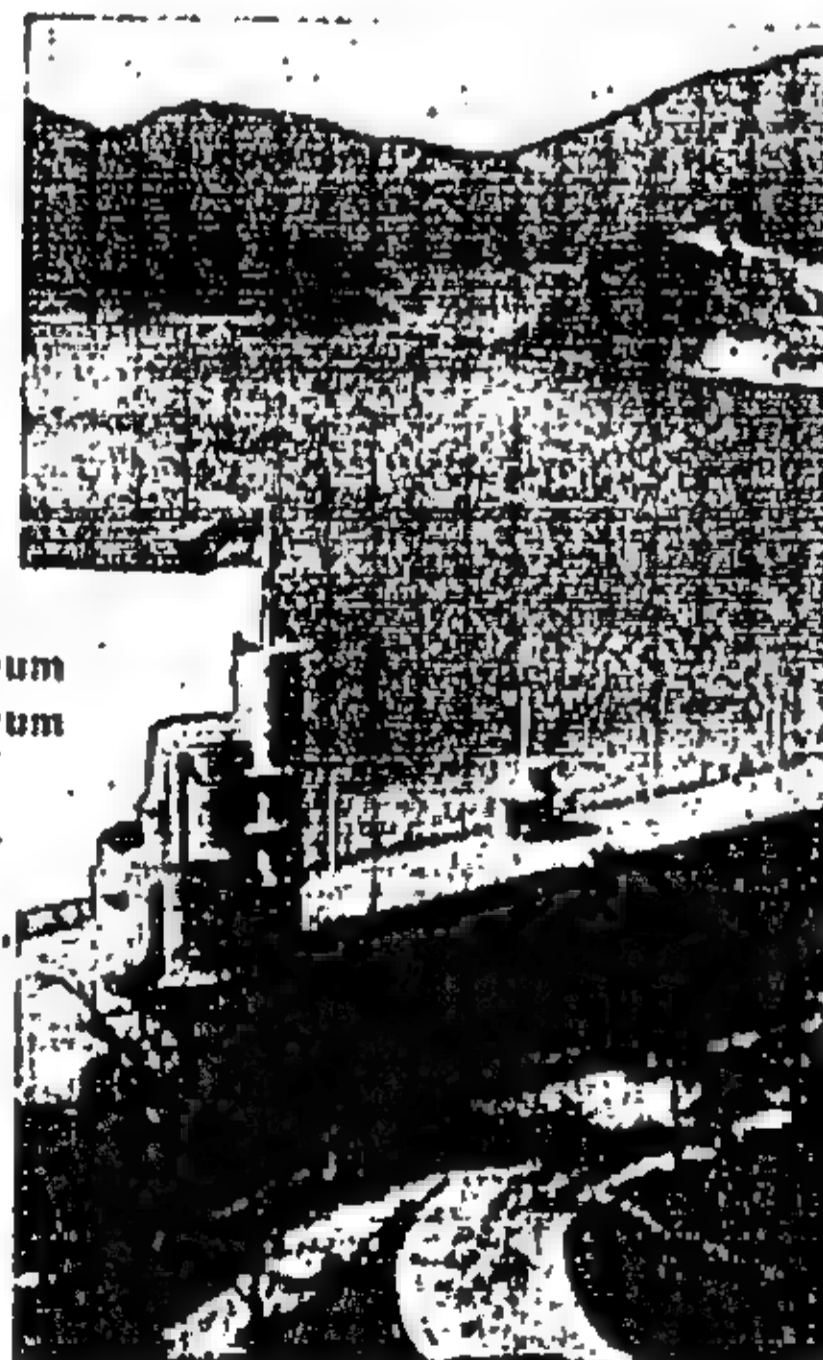
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145	and 152 beat Essex (114 and 87) by 97 runs.	5 for 28 and 4 for 31 v Oxford.
161	and 25 for 0 beat Gloucester (78 and 107) by 10 wickets.	5 for 28 v Essex.
417	and 327 for 6 drew with ENG- LAND (468).	5 for 45 Gentlemen of England.
397	and 335 for 4 dec. beat Genta- men of England (391 and 149) by 282 runs.	3 for 73 and 4 for 34 v ENGLAND (Fourth Test).
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		4 for 101 and 3 for 72 v ENGLAND (Second Test).

**REASONS GIVEN**

A soft-ball official told the "Sun-day Herald" that the referee had been asked to be shelled for the following reasons:

Firstly, if the game was played at the stadium, the year there would have been no suitable atmosphere. They have not yet rebuilt their stadium.

Mr. Chu Chik Tze, of the Nam Wah Yat Po, was to have been Manager and Pao Tze Tuen Secre-

Berlin, Yesterday.

Germany and Yugoslavia shared the spoils on the first day of the European Zone Final in the Davis Cup Competition, each country winning one of the two singles played here yesterday afternoon.

In the first match, the Yugoslav No. 1 ranking player, Puncce, defeated Henner Henkel, German champion, in straight sets by 6-1, 7-5, 6-3.

In the first set the Yugoslav's powerful drives proved too much for the German, who apparently was not at his best. Henkel's endurance helped reduce the pace by countering Puncce's hurricane drives with well-placed chops, and by these methods he managed to lend in the second set.

Then the Yugoslav found an effective reply to Henkel's and won the next six games in a row

for the set!

Henkel put up a gallant resistance in the third set, but Puncce was clearly the better player and gave Yugoslav the lead.

The second match, between H. von Metaxa (German) and M. Pallada (Yugoslav), was an extremely thrilling affair, although both players kept on the baseline. The German won by 6-4, 6-3, 6-1, 6-3, 12-10.

Pallada won the first set, but von Metaxa's play improved in the second, which he won. In the third set the German became more aggressive, risking excursions to the net whenever a chance was offered. Henkel's defense was extremely well, scoring a number of aces.

Since it is regarded as certain that Henkel will win his second singles match to-day, the doubles encounter will be the decisive match.

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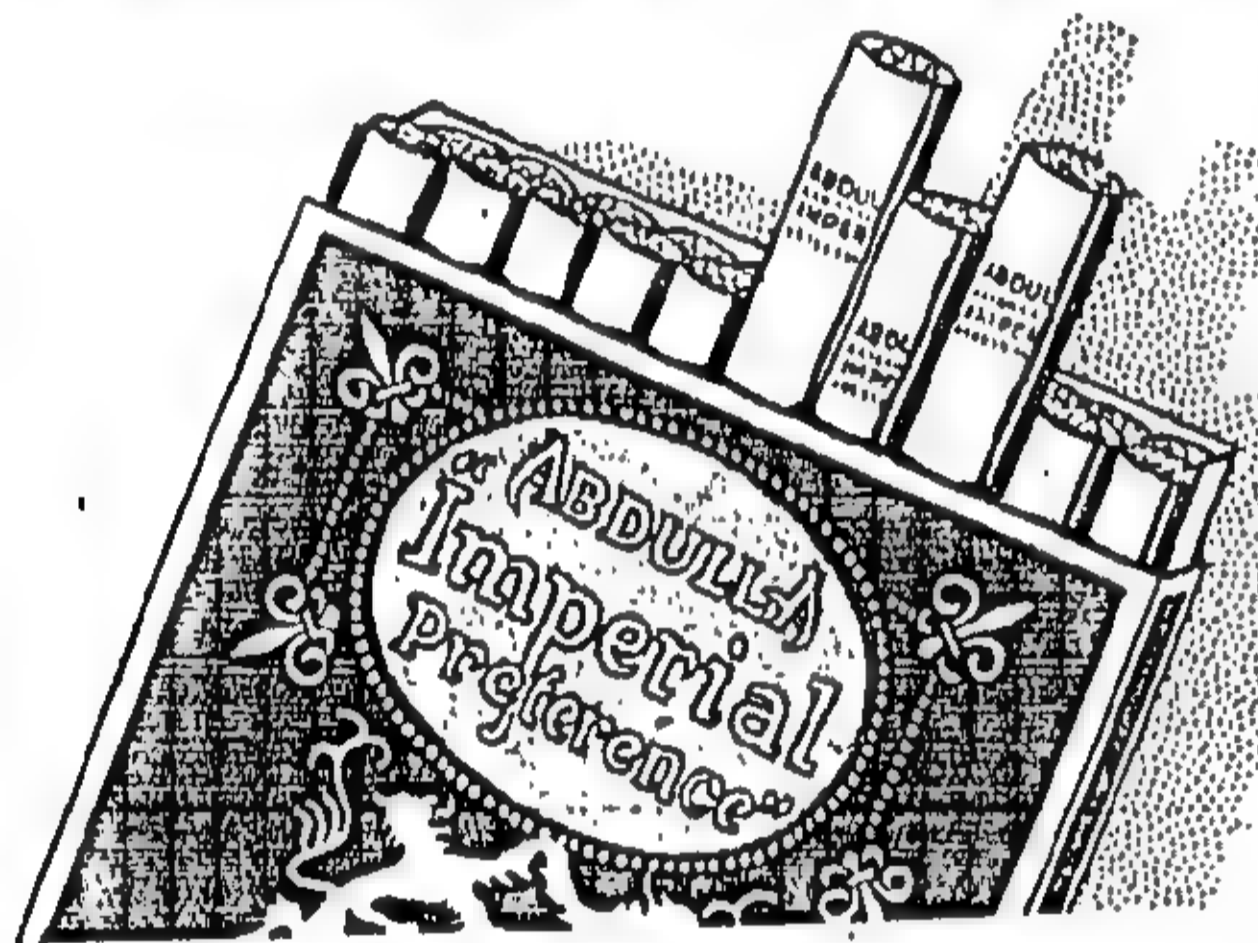


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## DRAMATIC WIN FOR SILVA'S RINK IN OPEN SEMI-FINALS

### LEAGUE TENNIS PROGRAMME FOR THIS WEEK

The following is the League Tennis programme for this week:—  
TO-MORROW  
Mixed Doubles  
v. H.K.C.C.  
WEDNESDAY  
"B" Division  
C.C.C. v. C.R.C.  
H.K.U.T.C. v. Club de Recreo  
C.S.C.C. v. I.R.C.  
H.K.C.C. v. H.K.U.T.C.  
FRIDAY  
"D" Division  
K.T.G.C.A. v. A.T.C.  
K.I.T.C. v. C.I.A.  
K.C.C. v. C.R.C.  
I.R.C. v. Club de Recreo  
C.S.C.C. v. C.C.C.  
P.R.C. v. S.C.A.A.

### ARMY AQUATIC PLANS

#### CHAMPIONSHIPS DIVIDED

Considerable interest is being taken by Colony swimming enthusiasts in the Hong Kong Area Swimming Championships, which will probably take place towards the end of next month, although this has yet to be confirmed by the Hong Kong Area Sports Board. One of the Water-Polo Knockout Competitions for Batteries, Companies, and Independent Small Units has already been completed and resulted in "A" Coy, the Middlesex Regt. beat the Royal Corps of Signals, and the odd goal in three last Friday afternoon in the V. R. C. pool, while the Large Units Water-Polo League is still in progress and is being keenly contested.

The Area Half-Mile team race will probably take place in the middle of next month, off Stonecutters Island. Teams will be of five swimmers each, and four men must finish to count points, but the fifth member of the team will retain his order of finishing. Teams will be drawn from Batteries, Companies, and Independent Small Units.

The Marathon race, over a measured mile, will take place at Repulse Bay towards the end of August, and six men will be drawn from each unit, but only four will count. The other two, however, will retain their order of finishing.

**BOON TO SWIMMERS**  
The outstanding feature of the Area Swimming Sports, however, are the Individual Swimming Championships, which it is hoped will be held before the Colony Championships, and the Inter-Unit Swimming Championships, which, I understand, will probably be held after the Colony Championships and probably towards the middle of September. The dates have yet to be confirmed by the Hong Kong Area Sports Board.

By splitting up the Individual and Inter-Unit Championships, the organizers have given swimmers a fairer chance in the former events. In former years, when Team and Individual events were amalgamated, it was difficult for a competitor in the latter to give of his best because if he was a good swimmer he was invariably wanted by his unit for one event or another. The innovation this year should be very welcome to all Army swimmers.

#### INDIVIDUAL EVENTS

The Individual Swimming Championships will be as follows:—  
50 Yards free-style  
100 Yards free-style  
220 Yards free-style  
440 Yards free-style  
100 Yards back-stroke  
100 Yards breast-stroke  
50 Yards free-style Enlisted Boys  
100 Yards free-style Officers

Winners of Army Championships will probably be automatically selected to represent the Army in the Colony Championships.

#### INTER-UNIT PROGRAMME

The Inter-Unit Swimming Championships are as follows:—  
Diving: teams of three:

Low Board:  
1 running dive  
1 fancy dive  
High Board (3 metres):  
1 plain dive (including swallow dive)

A list of fancy dives will be given to units and competitors must take their choice from this list. Difficulty factor will be given for the dives as approved by the Amateur Diving Association.

Plunging: teams of three:  
Aggregate of best plunge of each man to count.

300 Yards free-style relay: teams of six:  
Each man to swim 50 yards.

150 Yards medley-relay: teams of three:  
50 yards back-stroke (first man)  
50 yards breast-stroke (second man)  
50 yards free-style (third man)  
400 Yards free-style relay: teams of four:

Each man to swim 100 yards.  
800 Yards free-style: teams of four:  
Each man to swim 200 yards.  
200 Yards team race: teams of six:  
(For Coy, Bty., and Independent Small Units)

Each man to swim 50 yards.  
(The first six events will be for teams from Brigades, R.A. and R.E. Battalions and Combined Small Units.)

## Jack Carried To Ditch By Perfect Shot

### A. F. NORONHA PLAYS SURPRISINGLY WELL

(By "Skip")

THE large number of spectators who travelled to Austin Road to witness the semi-finals of the Open Rinks Lawn Bowls Championship last Sunday were certainly given an entertaining afternoon.

There was no comparison between the two games, that between A. R. Dallas and C. G. Silva being far and away the superior as an exhibition of bowls. In the other match, apart from one notable exception, the bowling was of only mediocre standard. Of course there were brilliant shots on occasion, but one man stood out head and shoulders above the other seven, W. McLeod.

He gave a very fine exhibition of drawing to the jack and quite overshadowed his opponent, Machado, although the latter was by no means bad and probably the best player on his side. Bill Cameron had the measure of C. M. Silva for the most part, in an spirit of nigardliness to the Police player that I must point out that his opponent was right off his game. The result was that when it came to the turn of the second half of the rinks to play, Post and Carey were in the position to either block or add shots, both of which they achieved creditably, whilst John Ribeiro and F. X. Silva had either to break the lock or draw to save the points. And in both of these they failed frequently, the most notable occasion being when the Police quartette chalked up a six. Both were weak on this head and it appeared to the spectators that the wrong hand was played.

### Open Draw On Back Hand Overlooked

In the confidence in his ability to either bump a wood or draw on the fore hand, the Portuguese skip appeared to lose sight of the fact that there was a shot within four feet of the kitty would have saved at least 3 shots. Carey played this hand successfully at this same head it may be mentioned, drawing the fifth shot. I think it was some five feet through. Ted Post was of good assistance to his skip but not really consistent, whilst Joe Carey played the required defensive game creditably, under the good guidance of his No. 3, who was the tactician of the side. The score was 26-14 in favour of the Police four, who scored on just two thirds of the end.



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### Dramatic Finish To Very Fine Match

The fireworks went off on the other rink, where A. R. Dallas and C. G. Silva went at it hammer and tongs right from the first wood to the very last. The Indian Recreation Club players commenced very well and chalked up six before C. G. Silva and his men worked the scorer. The Portuguese then began to settle down to a better game and at about the 7th head the struggle began in earnest. Though trailing 11-4 at that stage, the Recreio players began to begin to make the measure of their opponents and by the 14th head had become all square.

A. F. Noronha played a surprisingly good game for a novice, and, although overshadowed by Khan, who was in top form, he always had one of his woods in a useful position and secured many "chalkers." C. A. Lopes was, as I expected, rather better than Adal and produced brilliant shots at times, whilst of the three I would



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### LUZ EXPECTED TO BEAT MINU IN 3RD ROUND

The draw for the Third Round of the Open Singles Lawn Bowls Championship took place last Friday evening and resulted in many interesting ties, the best of which are as follows:—  
J. A. da Luz v. A. K. Minu (C.C.C., Wednesday)  
E. C. Fincher v. A. E. Coates (I.R.C., Wednesday)  
J. V. Ramsey v. J. Cavanagh (I.R.C., Wednesday)

Luz is favoured in many circles to enter the Fourth Round, although the left-handed A. K. Minu has been performing consistently well recently. Luz is, however, the more experienced bowler, and this advantage should turn the tide in his favour.

A grand match is expected between E. C. Fincher, one of the leading skips at the moment, and A. E. Coates, a former champion. Fincher lost his unbeaten skip record last Saturday, and his brilliant form this season should extend to the final.

The encounter between Ramsey and Cavanagh should be a very close game and although the latter is more at home in a pairs game, he should provide Ramsey with stern opposition.

The following is the draw:—

**Tuesday**  
AT KOWLOON C. C.  
G. N. Mitchell v. J. C. Brown  
A. Brookbank v. L. F. Xavier  
D. W. Waterton v. B. W. Bradbury  
R. Duncan v. C. M. Silva  
AT HONG KONG F. C.  
A. R. Dallas v. R. Basa  
John Watson v. E. Zimmerman

**Wednesday**  
AT CRAIGENGOWER  
J. A. da Luz v. A. K. Minu  
R. Ellis v. W. Gill  
S. Ecclestone v. E. W. Lines  
AT INDIAN R. C.  
E. C. Fincher v. A. E. Coates  
W. K. Warr v. J. A. Elson  
J. V. Ramsey v. J. Cavanagh  
AT KOWLOON DOCK  
J. E. Noronha v. C. F. Remedios  
J. S. Logan v. A. E. Carey  
C. H. Hanking v. H. A. Alves

**Thursday**  
AT RECREIO  
T. Coleman v. J. S. Logan  
J. S. Logan v. G. C. Norman  
The following matches must be played on or before Tuesday, August 2, on the greens already allocated: J. S. Logan v. G. C. Norman  
J. E. Noronha v. G. H. Sheriff  
W. K. Warr v. A. Warr  
The contestants must arrange with the green rangers as to the time and date of their respective matches.

say that Jackie Noronha had a slight edge by reason of his greater consistency throughout. A. K. Minu, after playing well early on, going off his game slightly towards the finish.

### Silva Wins Last Head To Secure Game

Much has been written of the last head, which Silva commenced one in arrears. Tony Noronha put one back high and a little to one side and in trying to draw on trail, D. M. Khan was a little heavy—a good fault. The shot remained, whilst Lopes put in a doubtful second one, until "C. G." asked Jack Noronha to face out the enemy's possible second one, two being required for a win it must be remembered. Facing this forehead shot out from the fore, Noronha was a shade narrow and heavy and had the mortifying experience of clipping the jack right onto Khan's side two woods, which lay side by side behind, guarded by a lot of timber.

To the spectators the game looked all over and so it did to the Recreio boys—all except one. That was "Kowloon Green," who saw possibilities of a drive through the narrowest gap imaginable. And he got it—A. K. Minu at least one, possibly two. Dallas tried to draw, but was just a shade heavy and was ditched. Silva, with a perfect weight wood, drew the very finest shot not more than two feet from the edge of the green for a certain two count, and Dallas with his last one was too short to save the match.

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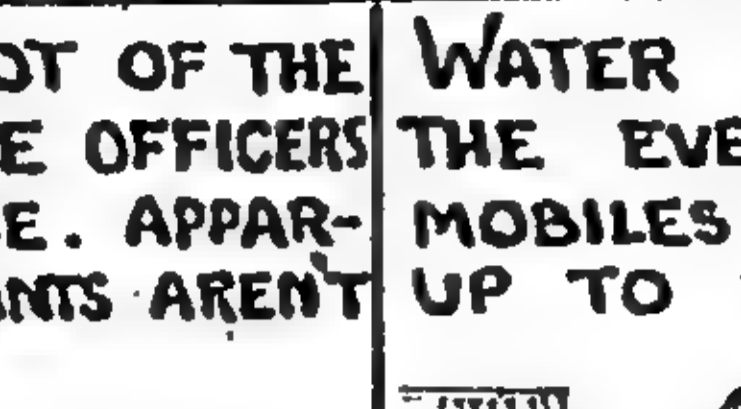
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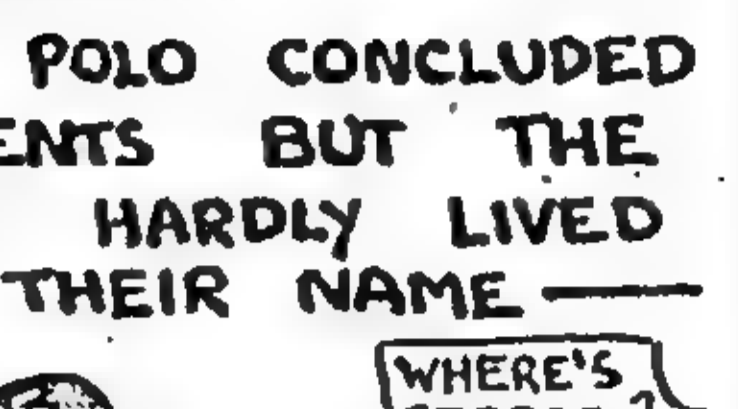
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11 a.m.-12.15 p.m.—Relay of the  
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12.15 p.m.—Elgar—Enigma Variations,  
Op. 36. Played by The B.B.C.  
Symphony Orchestra conducted by  
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12.45 p.m.—Songs by Dennis Noble  
(Baritone).  
Passing By (Herrick & Purcell).  
The Gentle Maiden (Boulton,  
Somervell).

12.50 p.m.—Elgar—Organ Sonata in  
G. Played by G. D. Cunningham  
on the Organ of Alexandra Palace,  
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1 p.m.—Local Time Signal and Wea-  
ther Report.

1.03 p.m.—Marta Eggerth (Soprano)  
and Light Symphony Orchestra.  
Summer Days—Suite (Eric Coates).  
... Light Symphony Orchestra  
conducted by The Composer.

Lovely Like The Dawn Of Spring  
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Marta Eggerth (Soprano) with  
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Valentine From "Wood Nymphs"  
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Vienna. Where The Waltz Was  
Born (From "Always, when I am  
happy").  
A Longing Fiercely Burns Me  
(From "Always, when I am hap-  
py"). ... Marta Eggerth with  
Orchestra.

Concert. Waltz — "Joyousness"  
(Haydn Wood).  
Homage March (Haydn Wood).  
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ducted by The Composer.

1.30 p.m.—Reuter and Rugby Press,  
Weather Forecast and Announce-  
ments.

1.40 p.m.—Puccini—"La Bohème"—  
Act 1 & 2. With—Luigi Marini,  
Gino Vanelli, Tancredi, Panero,  
Aristide Baracchi, Salvatore Bac-  
caloni, Rosetta Pampalini, Guisepe  
Nessi and full Chorus of La  
Scala, Milan with Orchestra.

2.30 p.m.—Close down.

7 p.m.—Selections From Gilbert and  
Sullivan "Yeomen Of The Guard".  
"Yeomen Of The Guard"  
Were I Thy Bride. ... Nellie Brie-  
cliffe.

Oh, Sergeant Moryll, Is It True?  
... Peter Dawson and Chorus.  
Forbear, My Friends. ... Derek  
Oldham, Nellie Brierclyffe, Leo  
Sheffield and Male Chorus.

Aye, Huz Him, Girl. ... Leo  
Sheffield, Derek Oldham, Nellie  
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The Prisoner Comes To Meet His  
Doom. ... Full Company.

My Lord! My Lord! I Know Not  
How To Tell. ... Full Company.

Night Has Spread Her Pallid Once  
More. ... Dorothy Gill & Chorus.

Oh! A Private Buffoon Is A  
Light-Hearted Loon. ... George  
Baker.

Hercupon We're Both Agreed. ...  
George Baker & Leo Sheffield.

Free From His Fetters Grim. ...  
Derek Oldham.

7.33 p.m.—Marek Weber's Orchestra.  
Songs Without Words—Potpourri.  
Tales Of Autumn—Waltz (Wald-  
teufel).

Blonde Or Brunette—Waltz (Wald-  
teufel).

Jolly On The Mountains—Waltz  
(Petrus).

Viennese Singing Birds—Waltz  
(Translature).

Morning Papers—Waltz (J.  
Strauss).

Du Und Du—Waltz ("Die Fleder-  
maus"—J. Strauss).

8 p.m.—Local Time Signal and Wea-  
ther Report.

8.03 p.m.—Eric Coates—"The Three  
Men Bait"—Other Compositions.  
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1. The Men From The Country.  
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Stars And A Crescent Moon.  
A House Love Made For You And  
Me. ... Hubert Eidell (Tenor)  
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8.35 p.m.—Violin Solos.  
Zigeunerweisen (Sarasate, Op. 20)  
... Michka Eiman (Violin Solo  
with Piano).

La Capriciosa (Ries).  
Allegro (Flocco). ... Yehudi Menu-  
hin (Violin Solo with Piano).

8.50 p.m.—Schubert Songs.  
Die Forelle (The Trout).  
Heidenroslein (Hedge-Roses).  
Die Junge Nonne (The Young Nun).  
Sophie Braslau (Contralto) with  
Piano.

Der Doppelgänger. ... Alexander  
Kipnis (Bass) with Frank Bibb  
at the Piano.

9.04 p.m.—Beethoven—Sonata In B  
Flat Major, Op. 22. Played by Ar-  
tur Schnabel (Piano Solo).

9.30 p.m.—Reuter and Rugby Press,  
Weather Forecast and Announce-  
ments.

9.40 p.m.—Band Of H.M. Grenadier

Guards.  
Marche Lorraine (Canne).  
Villanelle (With the Swallow—  
Dell'Acqua—Winterbottom).  
Marche Militaire (Schubert—God-  
frey).  
Old Folks At Home And In Foreign  
Lands (G. J. Roberts).

America; Germany;  
France; Ireland;  
Scotland; Italy;  
Spain; Hungary.

10 p.m.—Organ Music.  
Introduction And Finales (From  
"Sonata On 94th Psalm"—  
Reubke). ... G. D. Cunningham  
(Organ Solo).

10.10 p.m.—Studio—Sunday Evening  
Epilogue. ... G. Man And His Fellow  
Man—Justice, by Rev. Fr. Gallag-  
her S.J.

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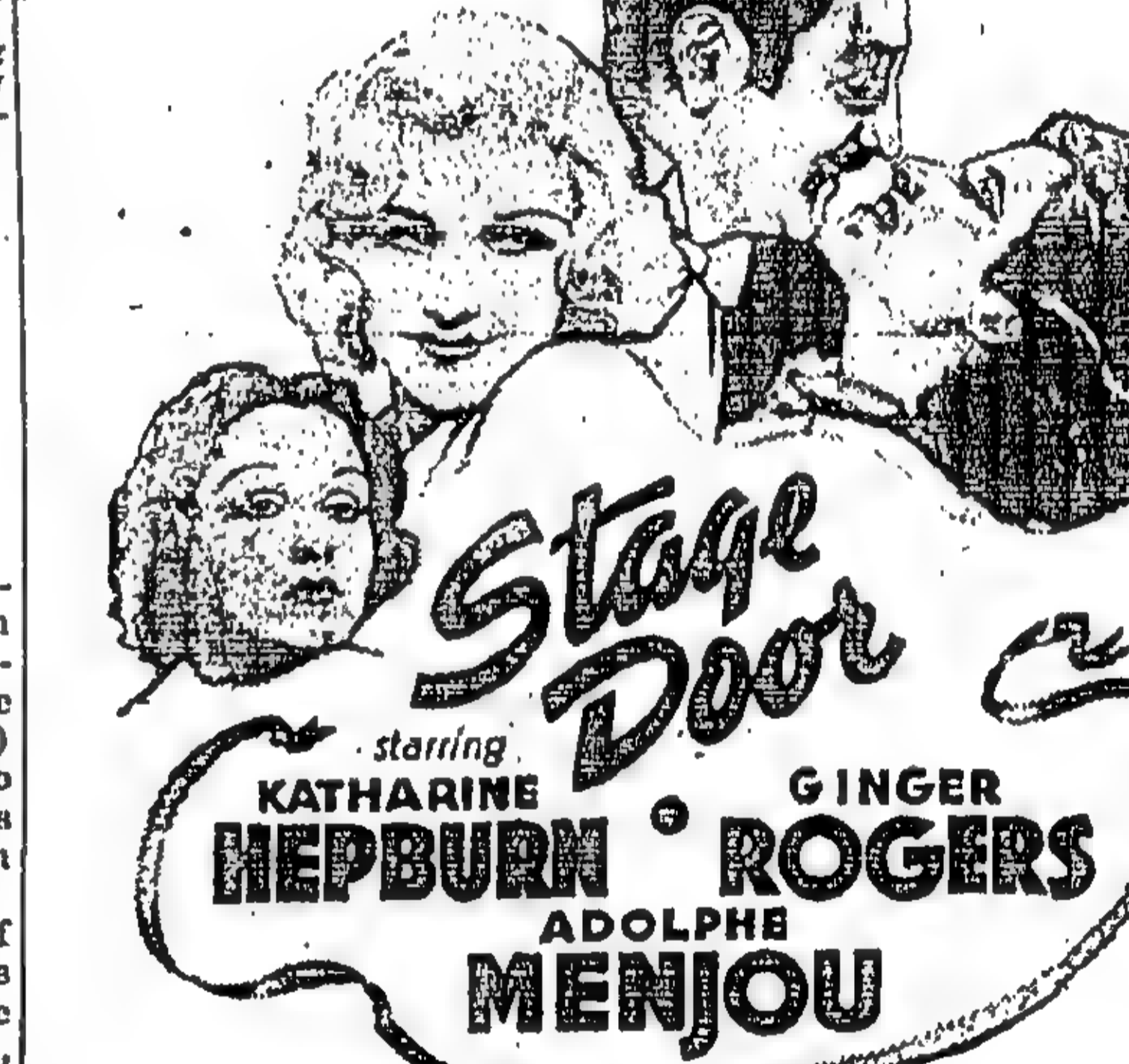
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# CLUB DE RECREIO RETAIN FIRST DIVISION LEAGUE BOWLS TITLE

## "Calipers" Give K.C.C. 64-63 Win Over Craigengower

### YESTERDAY'S BOWLS AT A GLANCE

FIRST DIVISION			
Kowloon Cricket Club (48) 64	Craigengower C.C. (70) 63		
Civil Service C.C. (56) 49	Club de Recreio (69) 59		
Indian Recreation Club (61) 61	Kowloon B.G.C. (69) 57		
Police Recreation Club (36) 36	Kowloon Dock R.C. (85)		
SECOND DIVISION			
Craigengower C.C. (61) 77	Football Club "B" (56) 50		
Kowloon B.G.C. (61) 77	Club de Recreio (79)		
Police Recreation Club (36) 36	Talkoo Recreation C. (61)		
Football Club "A" (61) 61			
THIRD DIVISION			
Kowloon Football Club (62) 50	Kowloon Cricket C. (56) 54		
Craigengower C.C. (61) 77	R.H.K. Yacht Club (61)		
Kowloon Tong G.C.A. (40) 69	H.K. Electric R.C. (59) 62		
Club de Recreio (67) 71	Football Club (63) 46		

Figures in brackets denote scores in corresponding match last year.

### BOWLS LEAGUE TABLES TO DATE

First Division											
Club	P.	W.	L.	D.	For	Agst.	Up	Down	Pts.	Shots	Shots
Club de Recreio	13	11	2	0	769	654	115	0	23	115	0
Kowloon Cricket Club	13	9	4	0	782	721	62	0	18	115	0
Craigengower C.C.	13	7	6	0	781	661	120	0	11	115	0
Kowloon B.G.C.	13	6	7	0	769	681	88	0	11	115	0
Indian R.C.	13	5	7	0	658	725	0	67	10	115	0
Police R.C.	13	4	8	0	616	751	0	165	7	115	0
Kowloon Dock R.C.	13	3	7	1	538	665	0	107	7	115	0
Civil Service C.C.	13	2	9	1	618	724	0	166	5	115	0
Totals	98	47	47	1	5582	5582	385	385	98		
Second Division											
Kowloon B.G.C.	13	9	4	0	769	639	130	0	16	115	0
Club de Recreio	13	8	5	0	730	618	112	0	14	115	0
Talkoo Recreation C.	13	6	6	0	677	657	20	0	12	115	0
Football Club "B"	13	7	6	0	615	787	0	142	9	115	0
Football Club "A"	13	1	12	0	637	657	0	39	8	115	0
Police R.C.	13	1	12	0	637	657	0	39	8	115	0
Civil Service C.C.	13	3	8	0	577	743	0	166	6	115	0
Totals	92	45	45	2	5486	5486	338	338	92		
Third Division											
Kowloon Football Club	12	10	2	0	787	577	210	0	15	115	0
Kowloon Tong G.C.A.	12	7	5	0	767	640	127	0	15	115	0
Club de Recreio	13	7	5	1	710	744	35	0	15	115	0
Kowloon Cricket Club	13	7	5	1	740	743	0	3	14	115	0
H.K. Electric R.C.	12	6	6	0	710	688	28	0	12	115	0
Craigengower C.C.	11	5	6	0	619	610	9	0	10	115	0
Football Club	12	4	8	0	608	781	0	173	8	115	0
R.H.K. Yacht Club	11	1	10	0	537	770	0	233	2	115	0
Totals	96	47	47	2	5553	5553	409	409	96		

### INDIANS AVOID RELEGATION WITH WIN OVER K.B.G.C.

#### F.X. Silva Still Unbeaten

Club de Recreio retained their First Division Lawn Bowls League title yesterday, when they defeated the Civil Service Cricket Club by 10 shots in the only encounter played at the Valley. F. X. Silva's rink again retaining their unbeaten record by trouncing J. Hollidge's four (conquerors of E. C. Fincher's K.C.C. four last week) by 24 shots to 11 to make good R. F. Luz's deficit at the hands of J. F. McGowan, of eight shots.

There were several sensational upsets, Craigengower losing to Kowloon Cricket by a solitary shot decided after a long argument. B. W. Bradbury lay the first shot and it was a measure for second which would have given the Valley team a draw had they secured the verdict, but after much measuring by a pair of calipers borrowed from the Kowloon Bowling Green Club, an impartial observer gave the verdict to K.C.C., who thus won by a solitary shot.

The Indians also caused an unexpected upset when they beat Kowloon Bowling Green Club, at Soekunpo, by four shots.

**FIELD LUCKY**  
Kowloon Football Club, winners of the Third Division, had their colours lowered by K.C.C., who won by four shots and thereby recorded the "double" for the Cox's Road Club. W. V. Field was lucky to retain his unbeaten record, although his 100 per cent. mark went by the board, as he had to be content to share the spoils, with J. M. Jack.

Sevens and sixes were scarce yesterday. G. E. F. Thompson's quartette registered the only seven of the afternoon, against E. S. Carter's Football Club "B" four with a possible measure for eight, but Thompson's No. 3, R. P. Phillips, could only give his quartette a seven. The only six was scored by W. B. Musket's Electric four against A. H. Basto's Kowloon Tong quartette.

### FIRST DIVISION

K.C.C. WIN BY ONE SHOT  
At Cox's Road, Kowloon Cricket Club beat Craigengower Cricket Club by 1 shot.

K.C.C.		Craigengower	
H. Nish	J. W. Leonard	J. W. Leonard	J. W. Leonard
J. W. M. Brown	L. C. R. Souza	L. C. R. Souza	L. C. R. Souza
R. Craig	A. E. Gentes	A. E. Gentes	A. E. Gentes
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V. C. Labrum	R. Bass	R. Bass	R. Bass
L. Jack	A. H. Schick	A. H. Schick	A. H. Schick
A. W. Smith	J. S. Landolt	J. S. Landolt	J. S. Landolt
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E. Kora	C. S. Rossetti	C. S. Rossetti	C. S. Rossetti
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A. Jones	A. S. Gomes	A. S. Gomes	A. S. Gomes
T. A. Madar	B. W. Whitman	B. W. Whitman	B. W. Whitman
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RECREIO BEAT C.S.C.C.  
At the Valley, Club de Recreio beat Civil Service Cricket Club by 10 shots.

C.S.C.C.		Club de Recreio	
R. Davies	J. Luz	J. Luz	J. Luz
R. Wood	C. Marques	C. Marques	C. Marques
E. W. Simmonds	A. A. Remedios	A. A. Remedios	A. A. Remedios
S. Randle	H. A. Alves	H. A. Alves	H. A. Alves
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J. Gellatly	L. F. Xavier	L. F. Xavier	L. F. Xavier
W. J. Burling	D. C. Alves	D. C. Alves	D. C. Alves
L. A. Collyer	L. J. Silva	L. J. Silva	L. J. Silva
J. McGowan	F. Luz	F. Luz	F. Luz
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A. Warr	J. E. Noronha	J. E. Noronha	J. E. Noronha
J. Denkin	J. F. V. Ribeiro	J. F. V. Ribeiro	J. F. V. Ribeiro
G. H. Sherriff	C. G. Silva	C. G. Silva	C. G. Silva
J. Hollidge	(Skip)	(Skip)	(Skip)
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INDIANS CAUSE SURPRISE  
At Soekunpo, Indian Recreation Club beat Kowloon Bowling Green Club by 4 shots.

I.R.C.		K.B.G.C.	
S. O. Bux	J. M. White	J. M. White	J. M. White
A. M. Wahab	A. Hyde-Lay	A. Hyde-Lay	A. Hyde-Lay
E. el Arcull	R. Duncan	R. Duncan	R. Duncan
A. Dallah	(Skip)	(Skip)	(Skip)
D. M. Khan	G. C. Norman	G. C. Norman	G. C. Norman
A. Bakar	C. B. Hosking	C. B. Hosking	C. B. Hosking
M. Y. Adal	A. J. Meyer	A. J. Meyer	A. J. Meyer
M. R. Abbas	(Skip)	(Skip)	(Skip)
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J. Hoosen	F. Cheesman	F. Cheesman	F. Cheesman
S. M. Rumsah	C. A. Atkins	C. A. Atkins	C. A. Atkins
A. R. Minu	A. MacFarlane	A. MacFarlane	A. MacFarlane
A. K. Minu	E. W. Lines	E. W. Lines	E. W. Lines
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Totals 61 57

### SECOND DIVISION

LOGAN'S BIG WIN  
At Austin Road, Kowloon Bowling Green Club beat Hong Kong Football Club by 27 shots.

H.K.F.C.		K.B.G.C.	
Jack Watson	B. A. Mansell	B. A. Mansell	B. A. Mansell
H. L. Lockhart	W. Coombes	W. Coombes	W. Coombes
D. W. Waterton	J. B. Selby	J. B. Selby	J. B. Selby
J. S. Logan	(Skip)	(Skip)	(Skip)
A. MacIntyre	A. Steven	A. Steven	A. Steven
L. A. R. Duncan	J. Dalgarro	J. Dalgarro	J. Dalgarro
J. Prentice	H. V. Pearce	H. V. Pearce	H. V. Pearce
T. Armstrong	(Skip)	(Skip)	(Skip)
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E. V. Searle	S. Strange	S. Strange	S. Strange
H. E. Drew	L. Lamert	L. Lamert	L. Lamert
R. P. Phillips	R. S. Carter	R. S. Carter	R. S. Carter
G. E. F. Thompson	F. Harvey	F. Harvey	F. Harvey
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### THIRD DIVISION

K.F.C. BEATEN!  
At Chatham Road, Kowloon Cricket Club beat Kowloon Football Club by 4 shots.

K.F.C.		K.C.C.	
T. White	R. Madosa	R. Madosa	R. Madosa
R. Hall	W. Bamro	W. Bamro	W. Bamro
C. Turney	C. J. Tachi	C. J. Tachi	C. J. Tachi
W. V. Field	(Skip)	(Skip)	(Skip)
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V. Petherick	W. Hobbs	W. Hobbs	W. Hobbs
C. Champelovier	W. T. French	W. T. French	W. T. French
T. Ferguson	J. Smith	J. Smith	J. Smith
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A. Lamley	D. Trall	D. Trall	D. Trall
J. T. Smalley	A. E. Perry	A. E. Perry	A. E. Perry
A. L. Eastman	R. Marks	R. Marks	R. Marks
V. Chittenden	W. W. Hrat	W. W. Hrat	W. W. Hrat
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Totals 50 44

SPARY WELL UP  
At Kowloon Tong, Kowloon Tong G.C.A. beat Hong Kong Electric Recreation Club by 7 shots.

H.K.E.R.C.		K.T.G.C.A.	
A. E. Castro	J. E. Way	J. E. Way	J. E. Way
W. J. Howard	W. Stoker	W. Stoker	W. Stoker
A. J. Kow	B. Munkett	B. Munkett	B. Munkett
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T. M. Gregory	G. T. Padgett	G. T. Padgett	G. T. Padgett
Y. Abbas	J. F. Hodley	J. F. Hodley	J. F. Hodley
V. N. Atienza	A. P. Paul	A. P. Paul	A. P. Paul
H. G. Atienza	J. K. Sloan	J. K. Sloan	J. K. Sloan
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C. Mano	G. G. S. Thomson	G. G. S. Thomson	G. G. S. Thomson
J. Tang	R. C. Butler	R. C. Butler	R. C. Butler
J. L. Stephens	L. de Rome	L. de Rome	L. de Rome
A. Snary	J. F. Lunny	J. F. Lunny	J. F. Lunny
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### 4TH KOWLOON BOY SCOUTS IOLD AQUATIC SPORTS

F. Crabb Holds The Limelight

Very good sport was witnessed in the European Y.M.C.A. Swimming Pool yesterday afternoon, when the 4th Kowloon (Garrison) Group Boy Scouts — troop and pack — held their annual swimming sports before a large gathering of spectators.

F. Crabb was the outstanding senior scout and secured first place in the majority of the events in which he entered, while Venables and Ferguson, who entered at the last moment, secured the majority of victories in the Junior Scouting races.

**FINE ORGANISATION**  
One of the outstanding features of the gala was the fine organisation, the boys being divided into another in splendid style. Group-Scoutmaster A. Grad contributed in no uncertain manner towards the success of the meeting. H. E. Wade, A.A.S.M., 1st Millington, Troop Leader V. Sanders and Rover G. Spence, also contributed their share.

At the conclusion of the sports, Mrs. D. Booker, Assistant Colony Commissioner for Wolf Cubs, distributed the prizes and was presented with a beautiful bouquet of flowers by Siler Sheppard.

**RESULTS**  
Results were: 50 Yards free-style: 1, Venables; 2, L. Wade; 3, Johns. Time 45 secs.

Wolf Cubs' 25 Yards free-style: 1, Senta; 2, Sheppard; 3, Clay; 4, J. McCormac.  
Senior Scouts' 50 Yards free-style: 1, Crabb; 2, Pellatt; 3, E. Wade. Time 37 secs.  
Wolf Cubs' Non-Swimmers Race: 1, L. McCormac; 2, Paxton; 3, Byron; 4, Wade.  
Junior Scouts' 25 Yards backstroke: 1, Venables; 2, Cottee; 3, L. Wade.  
Wolf Cubs' Diving: 1, J. McCormac; 2, Sheppard; 3, Stevens; 4, L. McCormac.  
Senior Scouts' 50 Yards backstroke: 1, Crabb; 2, E. Wade; 3, Patterson. Time 32 secs.  
Junior Scouts' Balloon Race: 1, Ferguson; 2, Johns; 3, Close.  
Senior Scouts' 50 Yards free-style: 1, Sheppard; 2, Senta; 3, Stevens; 4, J. McCormac. Time 41 secs.  
Senior Scouts' 75 Yards free-style: 1, Crabb; 2, Pellatt; 3, E. Wade. Time 55 secs.

Junior Scouts' Diving: 1, Griffin; 2, Venables; 3, Ferguson.  
Senior Scouts' Diving: 1, E. Wade; 2, Crabb; 3, Jernakoff.  
Wolf Cubs' Umbrella and Lifebuoy Race: 1, Sheppard; 2, Senta; 3, L. McCormac; 4, Stevens.  
Junior Scouts' 25 Yards on back (arms folded): 1, Venables; 2, Ferguson; 3, Cottee. Time 29 secs.  
Senior Scouts' 75 Yards Life-Saving: 1, Crabb; 2, Pellatt; 3, E. Wade. Time 55 secs.

**RECREIO'S EASY WIN**  
At King's Park, Club de Recreio beat Hong Kong Football Club by 25 shots.

Recreio		H.K.F.C.	
F. A. Xavier	D. L. Bickford	D. L. Bickford	D. L. Bickford
C. P. Basto	S. W. Cressoy	S. W. Cressoy	S. W. Cressoy
P. Remedios	V. Walker	V. Walker	V. Walker
C. A. Lopes	(Skip)	(Skip)	(Skip)
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A. F. Noronha	C. G. Solis	C. G. Solis	C. G. Solis
H. A. Botelho	H. A. Edwards	H. A. Edwards	H. A. Edwards
E. M. Remedios	T. Rowell	T. Rowell	T. Rowell
F. A. Yvanovich	H. Pegg	H. Pegg	H. Pegg
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C. F. Vas	A. Didebury	A. Didebury	A. Didebury
J. M. O. Sequeira	A. Thomas	A. Thomas	A. Thomas
C. M. S. Alves	D. Fitzhen	D. Fitzhen	D. Fitzhen
C. Roza-Perela	J. Skinner	J. Skinner	J. Skinner
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Wolf Cubs' Inter-Six Relay—50 Yards, teams of two: 1, Grey Six; 2, White Six; 3, Red Six. Time 54 secs.

Scouts' Inter-Patrol Relay—120 Yards, teams of five: 1, Cobra Patrol; 2, Tiger Patrol; 3, Eagle Patrol. Time 1 min. 47 3/5 secs.  
Senior Scouts' Obstacle Race: 1, E. Wade; 2, Pellatt; 3, Patterson. Time 71 secs.  
Junior Scouts' Novelty Race: 1, Ferguson; 2, Venables.  
Final Standings (Scouts' Inter-Patrol Trophy Competition):  
Tiger Patrol 62 points  
Cobra Patrol 61 points  
Eagle Patrol 61 points  
Swift Patrol 28 points.

The water-polo team of Headquarters Wing of the Middlesex Regiment, above, won the Small Units Water-Polo competition when they defeated Royal Corps of Signals by the odd goal in three at Victoria Recreation Club on Friday. In the centre is Lieut. A. W. F. Peal.

The Chinese swimming community, however, have still some outstanding talent. I refer to Chan Wing-kai and Ng Chun-man, both of whom are in the same class as Norman Lee, if not better all-rounders.

Victoria Recreation Club have only held one swimming gala to date, and we have still to see the cream of their talent on display (Lawrence took part in only the Mixed Relay event).

In the short distance (sprint) events, V.R.C. will probably enter Wilfred Lawrence, H. L. Ozorio, who is now practising on his own and who is no longer a member of the University team, G. Nolasco da Silva, a very promising swimmer, and possibly A. A. Roza, although little has been seen of the last named.

Lionel Roza-Perela took part in only one race during the championships last year, and we may take it for granted that he will not be offering a challenge in any of the Championship swimming events, unless it is in the back-stroke.

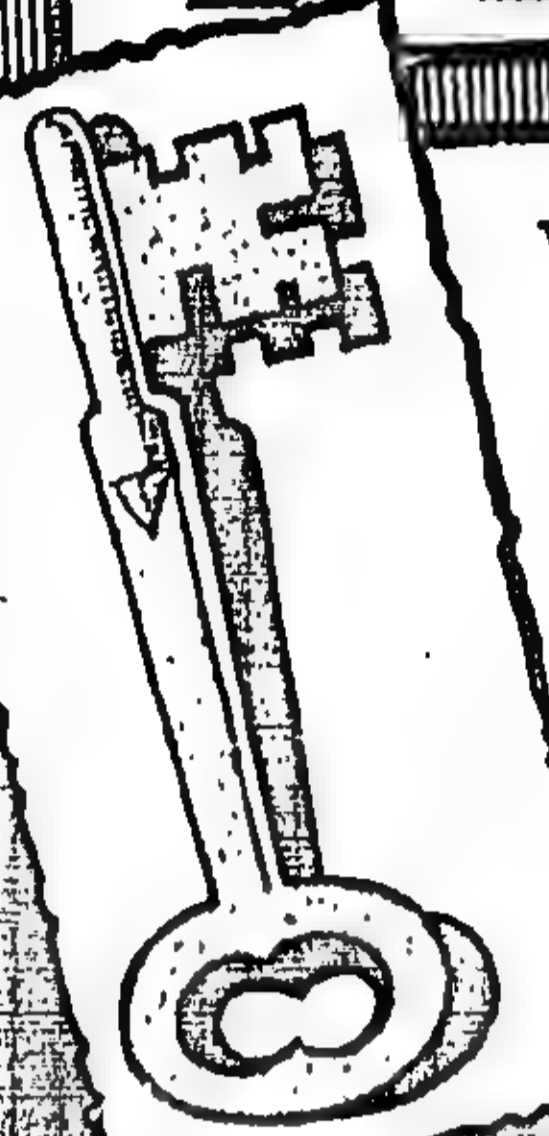
**Norman's Bold Bid**  
Providing he has still maintained the same form he showed four years ago, Roy Norman, formerly of Tientsin and now of the Royal Artillery, Lyceum, should prove a serious menace to Lawrence in the 400 and 880 yards free-style events.

In the 1934 Triangular Interport between Shanghai, Hong Kong and Tientsin, held in Shanghai, Tientsin sprang a surprise when they beat Hong Kong by 38 points to 34 mainly through the two brilliant victories of Roy Norman over Wilfred Lawrence in the 400 and 880 yards free-style events.

Since then, however, Lawrence has been lowered by Norman, he is still a force to be reckoned with. Like Lawrence and Roza-Perela, Norman is a fairly proficient all-rounder and during the same Interport meeting pushed Kwok Chun-hang to a new Interport record of 70-5-5 secs. for the 100 yards breast-stroke. Kwok shattered this record in the same year during the H.K. Championships, when he clocked 72 secs., which mark is unbeaten to-day.

The only other Chinese or European swimmer I can see offering a challenge during the Championships is Mak W

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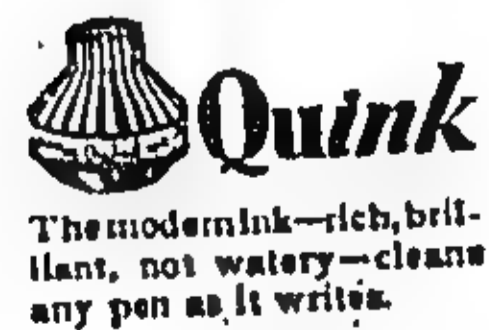
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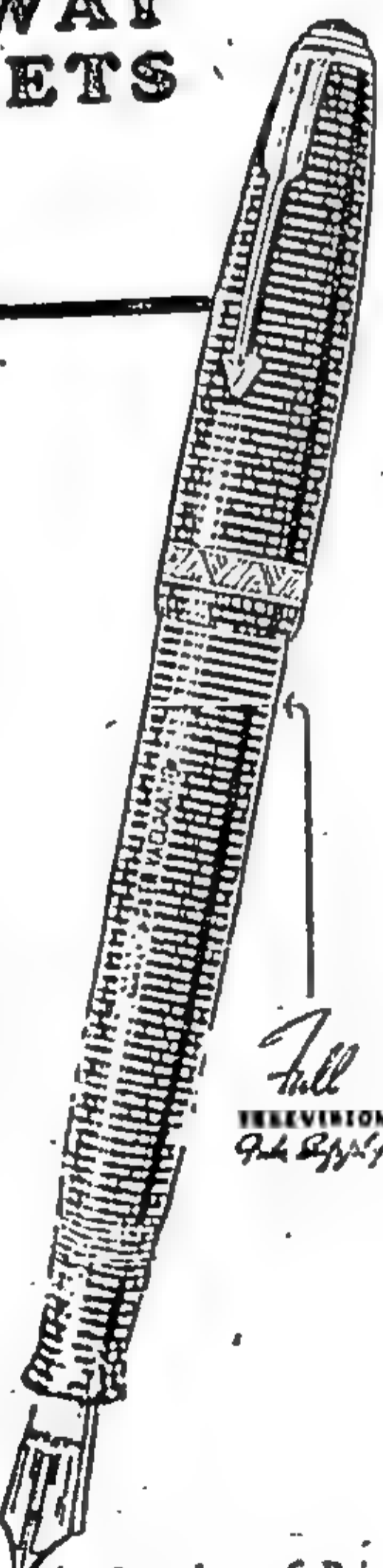
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## SHORT STORY

In case you never saw one, I'd bet he's explaining how it was with those fishermen's muffers. They were knitted by hand of Triggs's muffer, Pikey?" "None of your business," snarled dark worried by the fishermen's women. Knitted double, so that you could tuck one end up into the self and wear it as a cap, with the rest of its six or seven foot length wound round your neck a few times and tucked down inside your jacket all across your chest. There never was a finer thing for the bitter gales of Blaney or Horn.

Those fishermen's muffers were not plentiful in the square-rigged ships. They were right enough for use in fishing boats, where no one has to go climbing high up masts. In square riggers they were not practical.

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The name of the eldest apprentice in the Charity's half-deck was Pike. He was lanky, lean black-haired, with thin lips and a long nose. He'd a whining sort of voice, and a surely brown eye.

When Triggs came over the Charity's gangway Pike and the other apprentices and the able seamen were aloft with the mate bending the mainsail.

There was a rope that had gotten foul in the rigging, so that they were having a hard time with the sail. "You, Pike," said the mate, "get down and clear that rope."

Just as Pike reached the deck, along came little Triggs, sea bag on his shoulder and a friendly grin on his face.

"What the devil are you grinning about?" asked Pike, and booted little Triggs.

"I beg your pardon. I didn't mean anything wrong," said little Triggs.

"By gravity, I'll teach you manners. You say 'sir' when you speak to me," snarled Pike, and booted the kid again.

"Certainly, sir. I beg your pardon, sir. I'm sorry, sir," said Triggs.

"You there, my lad!" shouted the mate to little Triggs. "Get into working togs and come up here and lend a hand!"

Into the half-deck went Triggs, and came out in a jiffy wearing dungarees. On his head was this fisherman's muffer. Up he climbed and stepped out on to the footropes, beside Pike.

"Pass that gasket to me," ordered Pike.

"Yes, sir," replied little Triggs. "When the devil did you rate a 'sir'?" Pikey?" asked one of the other apprentices. "Kid, you don't have to say 'sir' to Pike. He isn't an officer. He's no one at all, only he don't know it."

With a devilish look in his eyes, Pike said to little Triggs, "Heave tight on that gasket now. D'you hear me?"

Little Triggs looked Pike square in the face and said, "Yes, Pike."

But when they came on deck one of the other apprentices asked, "What's this? Did you buy Triggs's muffer, Pikey?" "None of your business," snarled dark worried by the fishermen's women. Knitted double, so that you could tuck one end up into the self and wear it as a cap, with the rest of its six or seven foot length wound round your neck a few times and tucked down inside your jacket all across your chest. There never was a finer thing for the bitter gales of Blaney or Horn.

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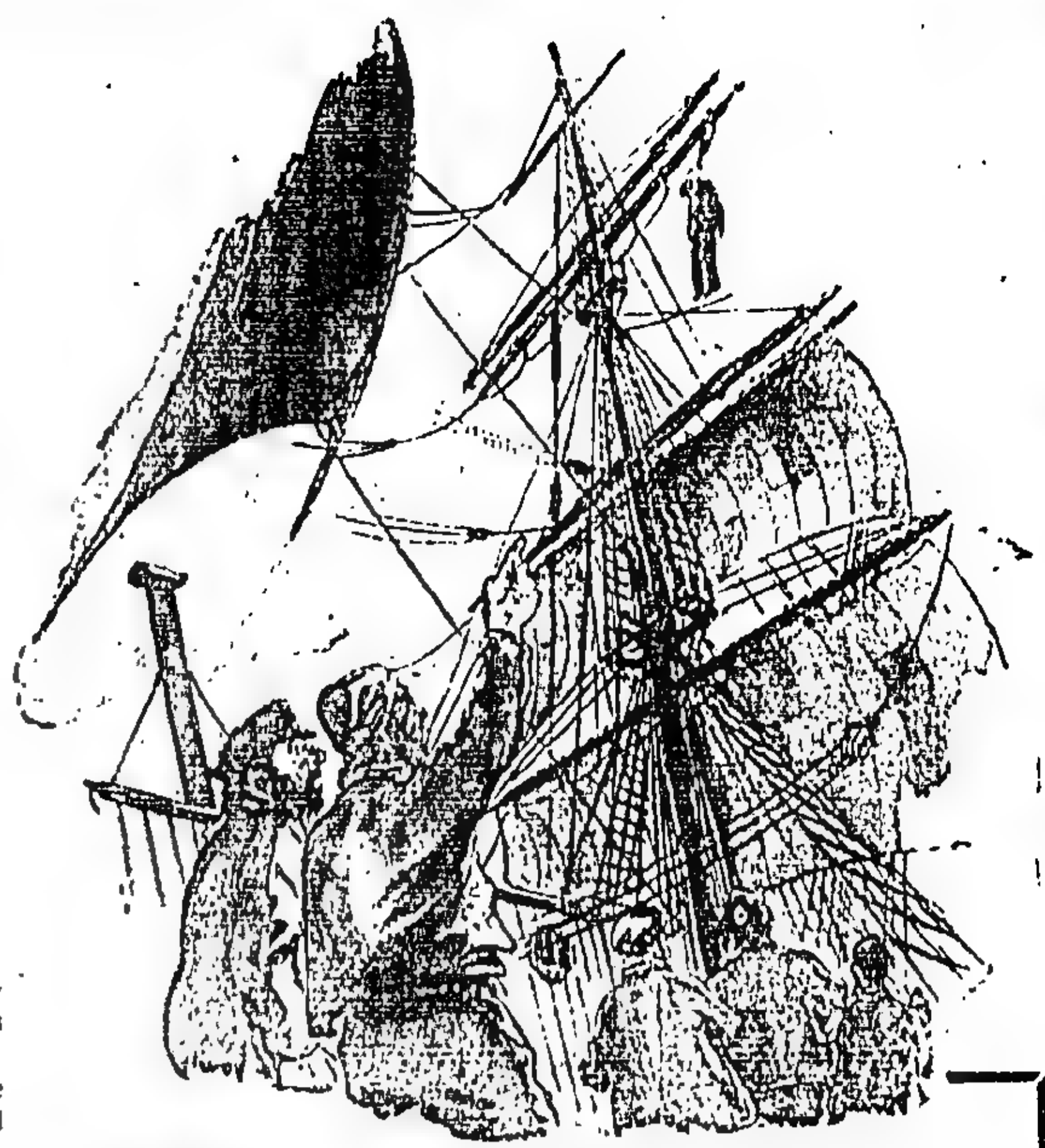
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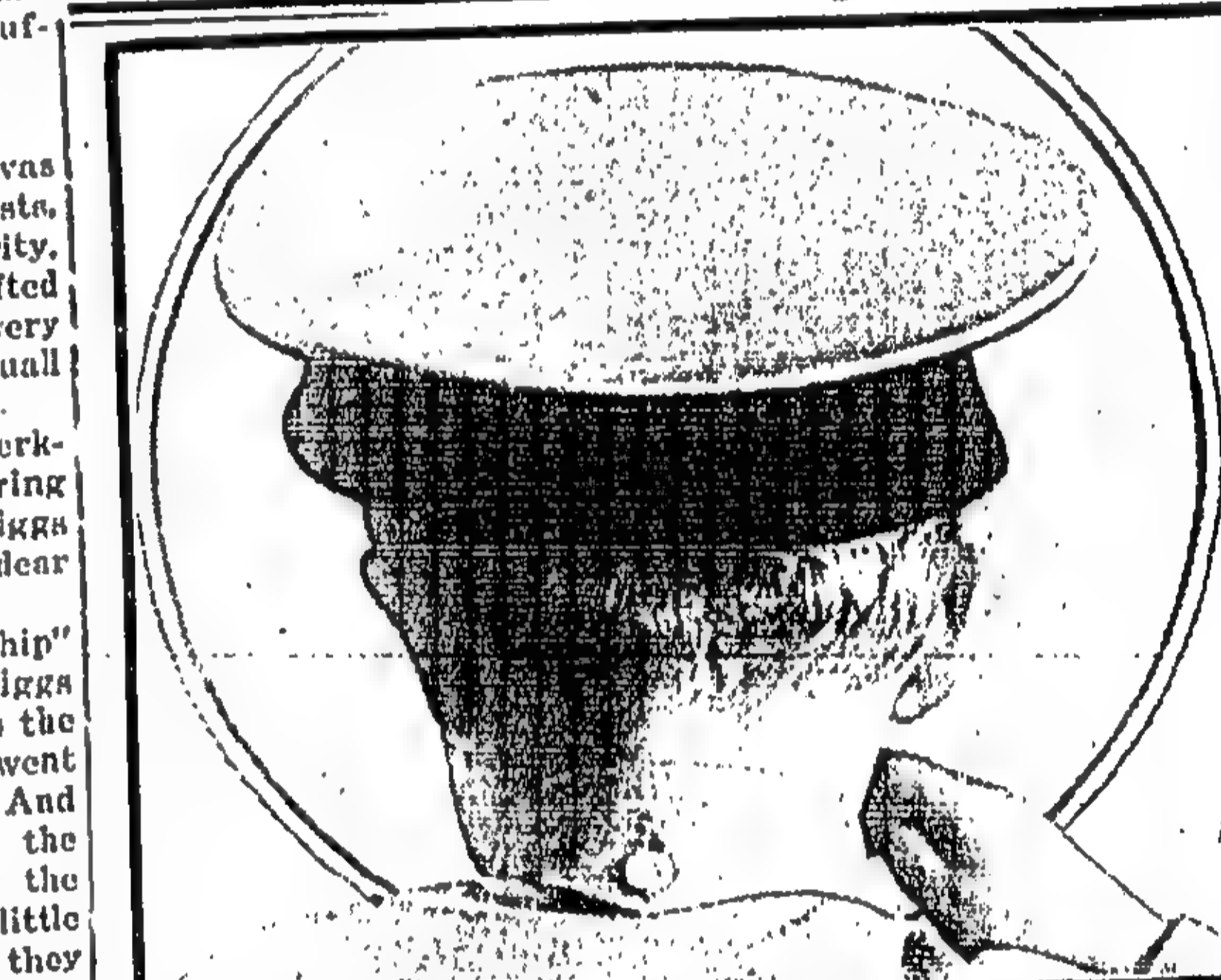
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## The Muffer

"They stared aloft, and there was Pike, rolling and swaying."

Well, soon the mate shouted their sea-boots half frozen, again, "Whose wheel is it?" For too, slipping and alighting along no one had gone to the wheel's ratlines.



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# Long Life Is His Subject

"I AM at 72 rather an amateur at senility, but sooner or later I suppose I shall have to join the professional class."

The quotation is from a letter from Mr. H. G. Wells, written to Dr. Maurice Ernest, whose book "The Longer Life" will rouse the hopes of would-be centenarians.

It is not a new story, but as time goes on it grows in credibility. The average life is, I suppose, longer. "Senescence is not a necessary normal phase like adolescence," says Mr. Wells in the same letter. "It is a various system of breakdowns."

Dr. Ernest in turn finds human life "an elastic period capable of expansion to 120, 150, 200, 300 or even more years."

## SOCIAL QUESTION

DR. ERNEST has spent years gathering together all that is known of the duration of life. He has organized long-livers—centenarians and such—into a club. He has made longer living his subject.

It seems to me that when you have considered all biological and physiological factors, the question will remain a social one. I shall be told, I daresay, that centenarians come from all classes. That may well be true. My own answer would be to ask: "Who wants to be a centenarian?"

G. B. S. is making a good shot at it. H. G. Wells at least seems to harbour the idea. Writers, once they have got past middle age often seem to settle down for a second innings. One thinks of Tennyson, Browning, Hardy. Goethe is the best of the literary G.O.M's.

Scientists too seem to age well. Freud, over 80, is still at work. Sickert the painter got into his

stride after 70. There are numerous examples.

## AGE AND SECURITY

IT is not difficult to see why men of science, letters, and art should have a strong desire to live long, if, and only if, they are economically secure. At 60 or so they decide they have gathered enough facts or mastered their medium, and can so begin! Writing, and a good deal of scientific research till now, has been a one-man job.

But most of us live wholly in society. And we are not economically secure. We cannot retire into the solitary study when it is no

## By WALWYN

longer possible to keep pace with the agility of youth.

Professional men retiring at 60 die off. And to be aged and poor is to be an object of pity.

Who wants to be a centenarian? I think only the exceptional among the rest of us—and the scientists. Society has no use for the aged. Writers and painters aforesaid. I suspect we shall get back to Methuselah when society has a use for Methuselahs in quantity.

## THE "ASS" ACTS

"S.R.S."—the idea of a society for studying the social relations of science—was mentioned in this column recently.

It is now announced that the Council of the British Association has taken up the idea and is supporting a proposal that the Association should establish within its

own organization a special Department.

"which would hold meetings, not necessarily confined to the annual meetings of the Association, to consider and discuss the social and international relations of science."

The "British Ass" has been better than its name.

## PETROL PROBLEM

IT is admitted by petroleum technology authorities that the world consumption of oil in the last 50 years has exceeded the estimated known available resources, and that this points to exhaustion within 20 years. Thus "The Fuel Economist."

Gloomy prophecies of this kind have been frequent enough for us to take them with a shrug. Meanwhile something has to be done about it. Trolley buses and electric delivery vans are two ways of economising in fuel oil.

## ICE AND POWER

LANCELOT (Mathematics for the Million) Hogben, found it the main characteristic of modern economy that we are learning, with the help of science, to dispense with the far-fetched product.

Electricity is always a home product. Hogben even goes so far as to suggest that the Soviet Union might not only harness the tides but use the excessive cold of its ice-bound coast line as a source of power.

"The difference in temperature between the air and sea in Arctic winter could be used to make an ammonia refrigerating machine work 'backwards'."

That is to say you would put in cold and get back electricity instead of the other way round.

BY ELY CULBERTSON

## BRIDGE NOTES

### Going To Sleep With An Ace

MOST of us at some time or other have felt the deep humiliation resulting from "going to sleep with an ace." It is one of the most poignant experiences in life, especially when there is a large and appreciative group of kibitzers around the table!

Needless to say, there are times when the best conceivable defence is to sacrifice an ace. But, unfortunately, there is too much of this sacrificing done without rhyme or reason.

South, dealer.  
Neither side vulnerable.

NORTH  
S—10 7 3  
H—K 6 5 2  
D—K Q 4  
C—A Q 5

WEST EAST  
S—K 6 4 S—9 8  
H—Q 10 8 H—7  
D—J 7 D—A 10 8 6 5 3 2  
C—10 9 3 4 3 C—K 6 2

SOUTH  
S—A Q J 5 2  
H—A J 9 4 3  
D—9  
C—J 7

The bidding:  
South West North East  
1 spade Pass 2 n'trump Pass  
3 hearts Pass 3 n'trump Pass  
4 hearts Pass Pass

other.  
And then they heard little Triggs' voice down over the foamy, rolling water.  
"Pike can have my muller!" shouted little Triggs.

And then, as the snow came back, whirling thick, driving in great flakes upon the whooping wind of winter, hiding utterly the other ship, an apprentice went into the Charity's half-deck. In a jiffy he was out again with the muller.

"There you are, Pike!" said he, and tossed the muller to the foamy, rolling sea.

## The Muller

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overboard, sir."  
"We can't put a boat out in this weather," said the skipper. And added, "It's no use, anyway. He's drowned long ago."

So another man went to the wheel.

Dawn came, wan and cold. And then, by gravity, a shout went up from a man on the sea-swept quarter-deck. The mate looked whither he pointed, and the mate's jaw fell open in surprise. He shouted to the skipper. Out ran the skipper. Out ran all hands; they stared aloft to the rolling, swaying rigging.

And there was Pike, rolling and swaying to the roll and the sway of the ship, his long legs, his long arms swinging to and fro to every lift and every pitch of her. Dead as nails, of course.

Hung by little Triggs' muller that, in the night's darkness, had come loose from under his jacket, had come partly unwound from about his neck, and had caught in the cleave of a black fifty feet from the deck, when his feet had slipped on a footrope.

Well, they sewed Pike in canvas, and buried him from the quarter railing. And then the apprentices, in the usual custom, shared out his belongings, drawing lots for each article in turn. But not one of them would take the muller.

At a shout from a man on deck, all hands ran to the ship's close by. It was the same ship that she'd left astern long ago. And all along her railing her crew were lined, watching the Charity.

Then of a sudden one of the Charity's apprentices let out a yell. "Look! Look! It's little Triggs!"

And, sure enough, it was little Triggs.

"She picked him up that night! She was coming up astern of us, and she picked him up! Don't you mind how it was moonlight part of the time?" they said, one to another.

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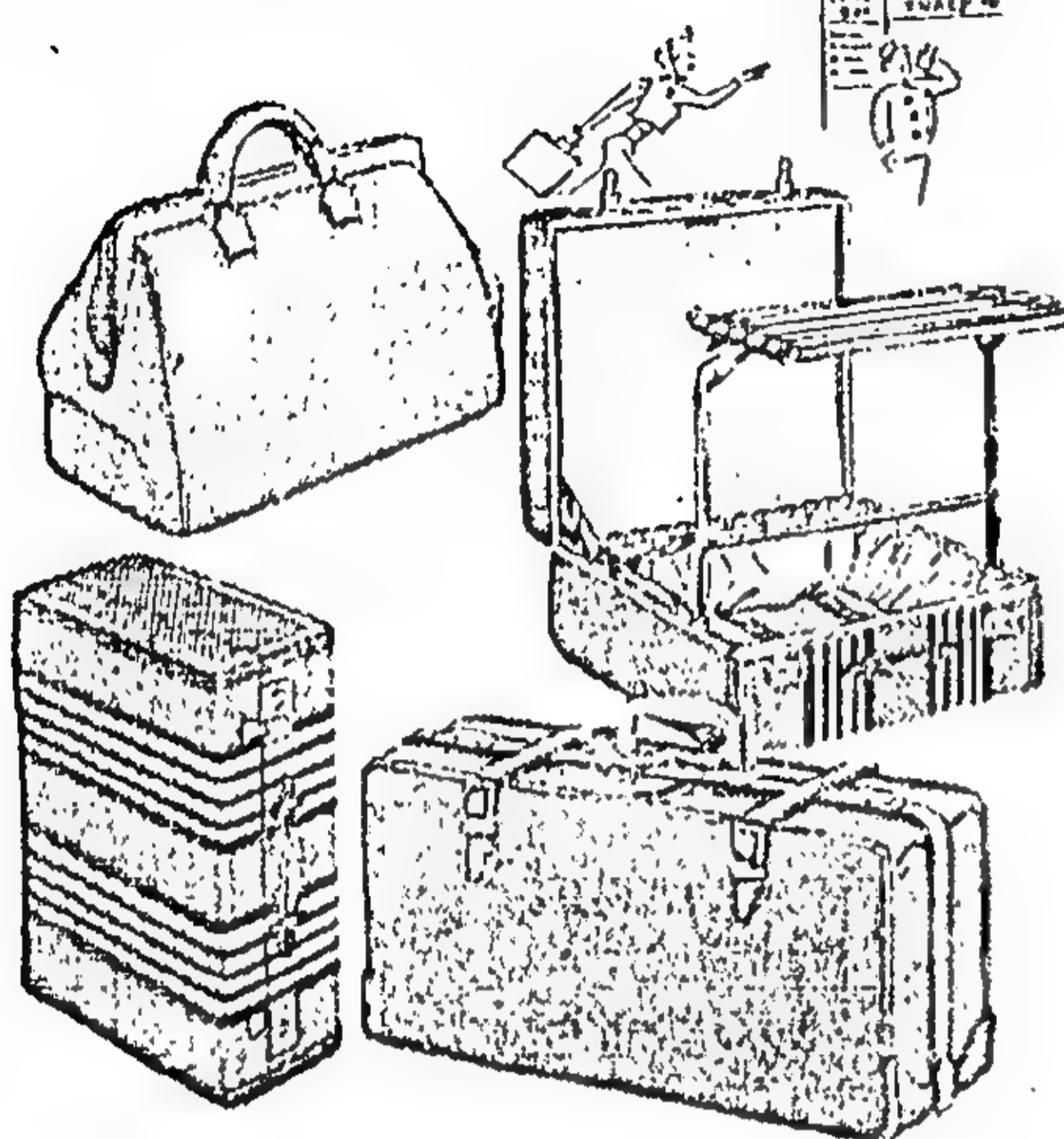
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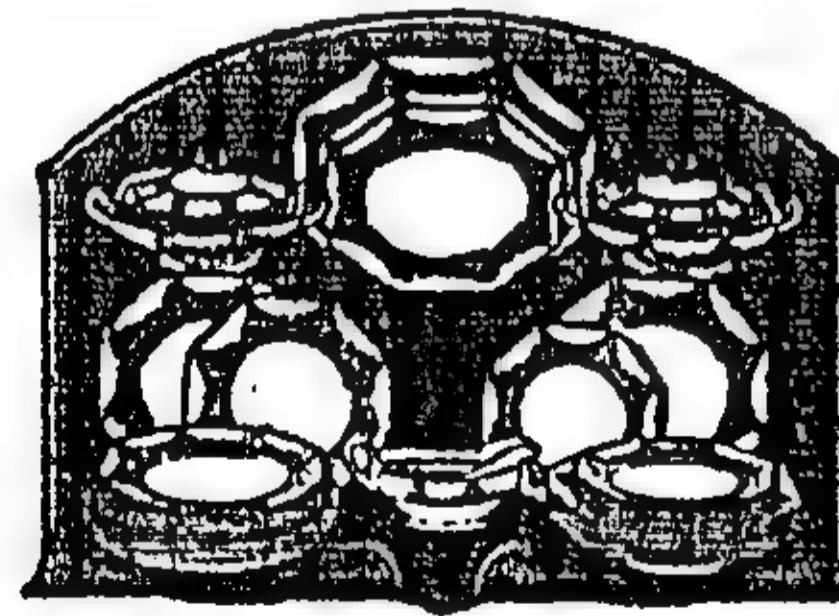
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## BRITAIN'S 150 CLAIMS ON JAPAN

General Ugaki Outlines Conversations To Inner Cabinet

## REPUBLICAN EBRO ADVANCE IN FULL SWING

Barcelona, Yesterday.  
The Republican offensive on the  
Ebro front continues and it is  
claimed that considerable progress  
has been made.

It has been officially stated  
that the bridges which General  
Franco claimed to be destroyed  
are still standing.

The Insurgent re-inforcements,  
through the heavy lack of direc-  
tion, have been unable to pre-  
vent the Republican advances.  
—Reuter.

## INSURGENTS SILENT

Salamanca, To-day.  
The Insurgent communique is  
significantly silent regarding  
Ebro, but claim victories in Es-  
tremaadura, wherein seven Re-  
publican planes have been re-  
ported to have been shot down.  
—Reuter.

## LOYALIST CLAIMS

Barcelona, Yesterday.  
Bulletin issued by the Republi-  
can War Ministry reports from  
the Eastern front that the Re-  
publican troops continued their  
advance, occupying hill 326, east  
of Vertice Roy and hills 656, 671,  
644, and 626, in the Sierra Pando-  
la, as well as hills 332, 478, 444,  
and 425.

The latter hills are situated  
near the road crossing from Gan-  
desa to Prat. The enemy, on re-  
ceiving more reinforcements from  
other fronts, offered stubborn re-  
sistance which was, however,  
broken by the Republicans.

The Republicans made progress  
also in the direction of Fayon,  
taking 200 prisoners and captur-  
ing numerous machineguns, mor-  
tars, rifles and a train with war  
material.

## AIR BATTLE

Insurgent flyers developed great  
activity. On the Levant front  
were captured the positions of  
Los Navales and Casa Quemada  
in the sector of Manzanera.

In an air battle between Repu-  
blican pursuit planes and 29 Fiat  
planes, three of the latter were  
shot down, while the Republicans  
lost no planes.

An Italian pilot was taken pri-  
soner.—Trans-Ocean.

## EUROPEAN LADY'S ACCIDENT

Mrs. C. A. Gehring, of No. 119,  
Waterloo Road, was the victim of  
a distressing accident yesterday  
morning, slipping on the wet  
pavement in D'Aguilar Street, and  
suffering a severely sprained  
wrist and a fracture of a rib.

Mrs. Gehring was taken to the  
Queen Mary Hospital and detain-  
ed, and last night was stated to  
be quite comfortable.

## GLAMORGAN 38 WITHOUT LOSS AGAINST AUSSIES

Swansea, Yesterday.  
Rain interfered with play in the  
match between the Australian  
tourists and Glamorgan, which be-  
gan here to-day, and the Welsh-  
men had scored 33 runs without  
loss when a heavy downpour made  
further play to-day impossible.  
—Reuter.



"HOUDINI"

## CHINESE "HOUDINI" BACK AGAIN

Tsang Sam-ming, the Chinese  
"Houdini", who three years ago  
was sent by the local authorities  
to Shanghai following a distur-  
bance outside Wanchai Police  
Station, is reported to be back in  
the Colony.

People in Yumati report that  
he appeared in the streets during  
the week and made similar claims  
to capacity for extraordinary feats  
as he did three years ago. He  
was dressed in his "Houdini" cos-  
tume with his name "Tsang Sam-  
ming" embroidered in red colour  
on his outer garment.

Three years ago, he was the  
centre of a disturbance outside  
Wanchai Police Station, resulting  
in his detention by the police.

As he was being taken into the  
Station, he promised his followers  
that the police would not be able  
to hold him and that he would ap-  
pear on a certain floor of a certain  
building in the neighbourhood the  
following evening.

Scores of people turned up in  
front of the building the next  
evening, but "Houdini" was still  
in police custody. He was sent to  
Shanghai a few days later.

## BRITISH TREATY WITH PORTUGAL

London, Yesterday.  
Authoritative quarters confirm  
the impending conclusion of the  
Military Treaty with Portugal.  
It is stated that the Leader of  
the British Naval and Military  
Mission, Admiral Wodehouse, will  
probably leave Lisbon on August  
5. It will be recalled that the  
Mission has been in Portugal since  
last February.—Trans-Ocean.

## LONDON SILVER MARKET

London, Yesterday.  
London silver prices to-day were  
down 1/16 for "Forward" and un-  
changed for "Spot" as follows:  
July 29-July 30  
Spot ..... 19-3/8 19-3/8  
Forward ..... 19-5/16 19-1/4  
—Our Own Correspondent.

## Displeased By Implied Warning Of Lord Halifax

Tokyo, Yesterday.

Britain has made 150 claims on Japan in the  
course of Anglo-Japanese conversations  
this week, according to the "Asahi Shim-  
bun."

The Japanese Foreign Minister, General  
Ugaki, the paper adds, told the Cabinet  
on Friday that these conversations dealt  
with Britain's rights and interests in Chi-  
nese territory now occupied by Japanese  
troops and particularly with the questions  
of shipping on the Yangtse, and British-  
owned railways.

In the first conversation, General Ugaki ex-  
plained to Sir Robert Craigie, the Japanese  
attitude to these questions and stated that  
British claims could be discussed from the  
point of view of Japan's recognition of the  
rights of Powers in China, but that the  
strategic situation imposed certain restric-  
tions which must be taken into consideration  
and that the British Government must ap-  
preciate Japan's position in China.

General Ugaki expressed re-  
gret that such hostile remarks  
had been made against Japan in  
the British Parliament and ad-  
ded that the British Govern-  
ment's answers to Parliamen-  
tary questions were obviously in-  
tended as a warning to Japan.

General Ugaki told the Cab-  
inet that he did not intend to  
launch a formal protest with the  
British Government, but that  
he would interview Sir Robert  
Craigie in order that Japan's  
position should be understood  
in Britain. The "Hochi Shim-  
bun" strongly criticizes Bri-  
tain's attitude towards Japan,  
saying that it is unreasonable  
of Britain to demand that the  
status quo be immediately re-  
stored in occupied territory with  
regard to British interests and  
rights.

The question of Japanese  
rights and interests in China is  
"a question of life and death"  
to Japan while it is only an eco-  
nomic consideration for Britain.

Japan, the paper goes on to  
say, is determined to reach her  
goal, for which she will sweep  
aside all obstacles. Britain  
fears that if Hankow falls Bri-  
tain's rights and interests in  
China would be endangered and  
therefore wishes to make Jap-  
anese operations more difficult.  
It also seems that Britain re-  
gards Japan's careful handling  
of the Changkufeng Incident  
on Soviet Russian-Manchurian  
frontier as an indication of  
weakness in Japanese diplo-  
macy.—Trans-Ocean.

## HEROIN PILLS

For possession of 773 heroin  
pills at No. 649, Shanghai Street,  
first floor, Leung Ming, was sen-  
tenced to twelve months' hard  
labour and fined \$770 or another  
six months by Mr. K. M. A. Bar-  
nett yesterday.

Before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen,  
Tseung Chang-kee, of No. 24,  
Kilung Street, was given six  
months and fined \$500 or a fur-  
ther six months for possession of  
two mace of opium, 480 heroin  
pills and for keeping a divan. Sen-  
tence of six months and a fine of  
\$600 or another nine months was  
imposed on Mok Ying, of No. 247,  
Kilung Street for a similar of-  
fence.

## JAPANESE CONFERENCE IN NEAR EAST

Stanbul, Yesterday.

It is announced that the meeting  
of the heads of all the Japanese  
Diplomatic and Commercial Mis-  
sions in the Balkans, as well as  
Near and Middle East will take  
place here on the beginning of  
August, with the Japanese Amba-  
sador to Turkey in the chair.

Among the Japanese representa-  
tives accredited to the Near and  
Middle Eastern countries who will  
be present, will be those appoint-  
ed to Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq,  
Egypt and Hedjaz.

The object of the conference  
will be exchange of views concern-  
ing the political and economic  
situation in the Balkans and the  
Near and Middle East.

Results of conference delibera-  
tions will be laid down in a de-  
tailed report, which will be trans-  
mitted to Tokyo.—Trans-Ocean.

## NANKING PUPPET INJURED

Hankow, Yesterday.  
Reports from Shanghai state  
that Jen Yuan-tao, so-called Mayor  
of Nanking, under the puppet re-  
gime, was seriously injured dur-  
ing a bombing incident in the  
former Chinese capital. Jen is now  
in Shanghai for hospital treat-  
ment.—Central News.

## H.K. POPULAR AS WEDDING MART

Hong Kong promises to achieve  
a record for marriages this year,  
thanks to the war's encourage-  
ment to couples to visit the Col-  
ony to "tie the knot."

Up to the end of June, 259 re-  
gistered marriages were celebrat-  
ed, which compares with 187 in  
the whole of 1936 and 210 in the  
corresponding period of last year.

## HERR HENLEIN GIVES HINT OF ATTITUDE TO RUNCIMAN

Prague, Yesterday.

The situation as to what the  
Sudeten German Party expects  
from Lord Runciman's visit to  
Prague as an "unofficial investi-  
gator and mediator" is answer-  
ed by the paper "Rundschau,"  
whose editor is the Sudeten Ger-  
man Leader, Herr Konrad Hen-  
lein.

The paper declares that the  
Sudeten German Party has no  
reason to be more optimistic  
than Mr. Chamberlain himself,  
who declared, when discussing  
the chances of the success of  
Lord Runciman's mission to  
Prague that: "Lord Runciman's  
visit will above all help to as-  
certain the real facts of the  
situation."

The Sudeten German Party,  
says "Rundschau," takes a simi-  
lar view since it expects that the  
"actual situation" will now become  
clear.

## PROPAGANDA CHARGE

The paper points out that the  
tension between the various  
National groups has been ac-  
centuated by propaganda abroad,  
which asserted that Sudeten Ger-  
mans already have enjoyed greater  
rights than they are entitled to,  
which then spread legend that the  
Sudeten German region is terri-  
tory originally inhabited by Slavs  
which was "Germanised," but re-  
latively recently, and which finally,  
attempted to convince the world  
that the so-called "settlement" of  
February 18, 1937, was a practical  
application of democratic and con-  
stitutional principles.

## CALM CONFIDENCE

The paper points out that it  
would already be an important  
step forward if propaganda of this  
kind gives way to objective and  
sober description of the actual  
situation.

The paper concludes: "Sudeten  
Germans enter into the new phase  
of the treatment of the Nationali-  
ties problem with the calm confi-  
dence of people who believe in the  
justice of their cause and who  
know that the simple language of  
undeniable facts will support it."  
—Trans-Ocean.

## NEW POST FOR CAVE-BROWNE-CAVE

London, Yesterday.

Air Vice-Marshal H. M. Cave-  
Browne-Cave who commanded  
the R.A.F. flight to Singapore,  
Australia and Hong Kong in  
1927, and was Officer Com-  
manding the R.A.F. in the Far  
East in 1930, has been appoint-  
ed Air Officer Commanding No.  
25 Armament Group, R.A.F.,  
effective as from August 17.  
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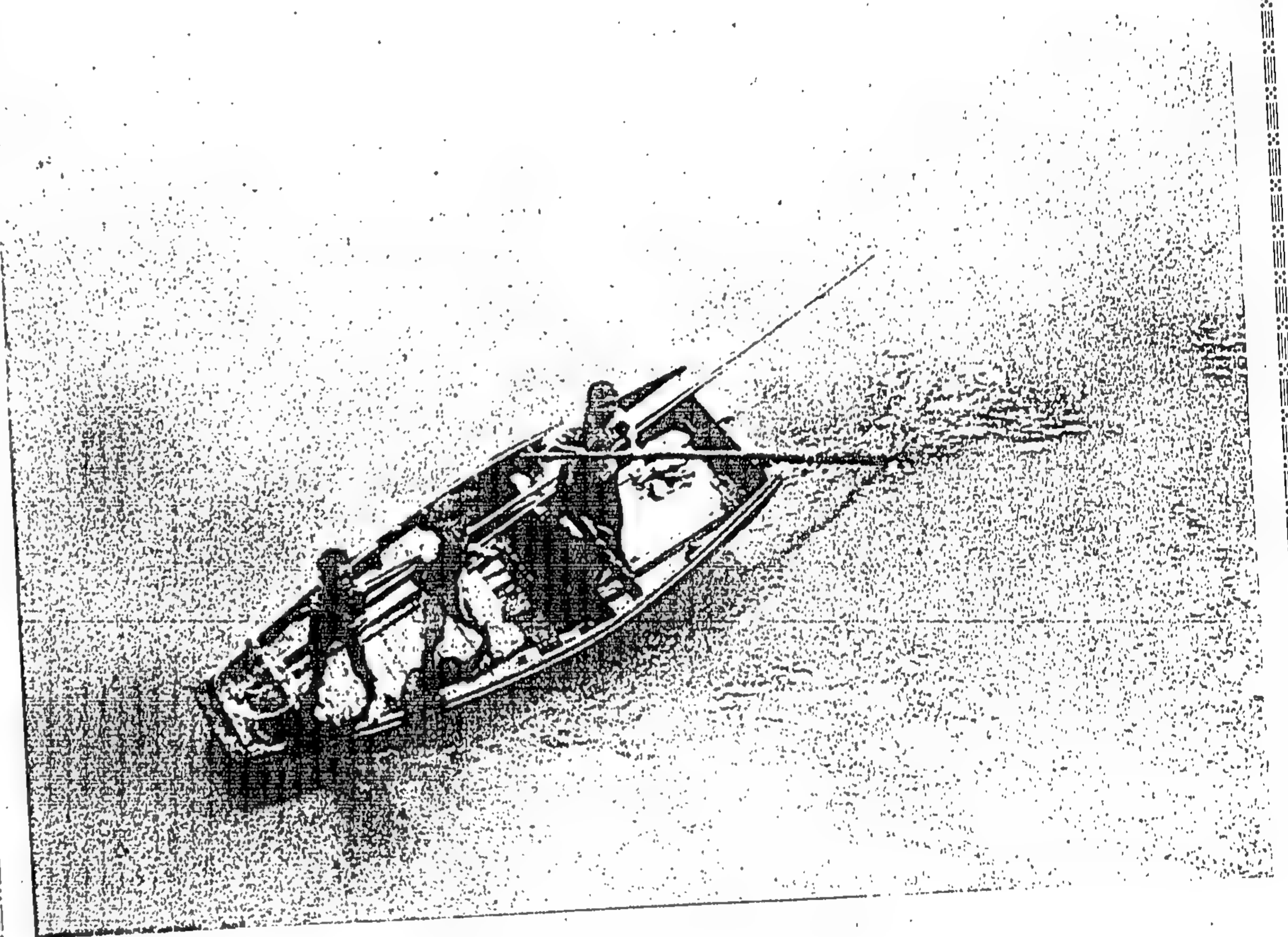
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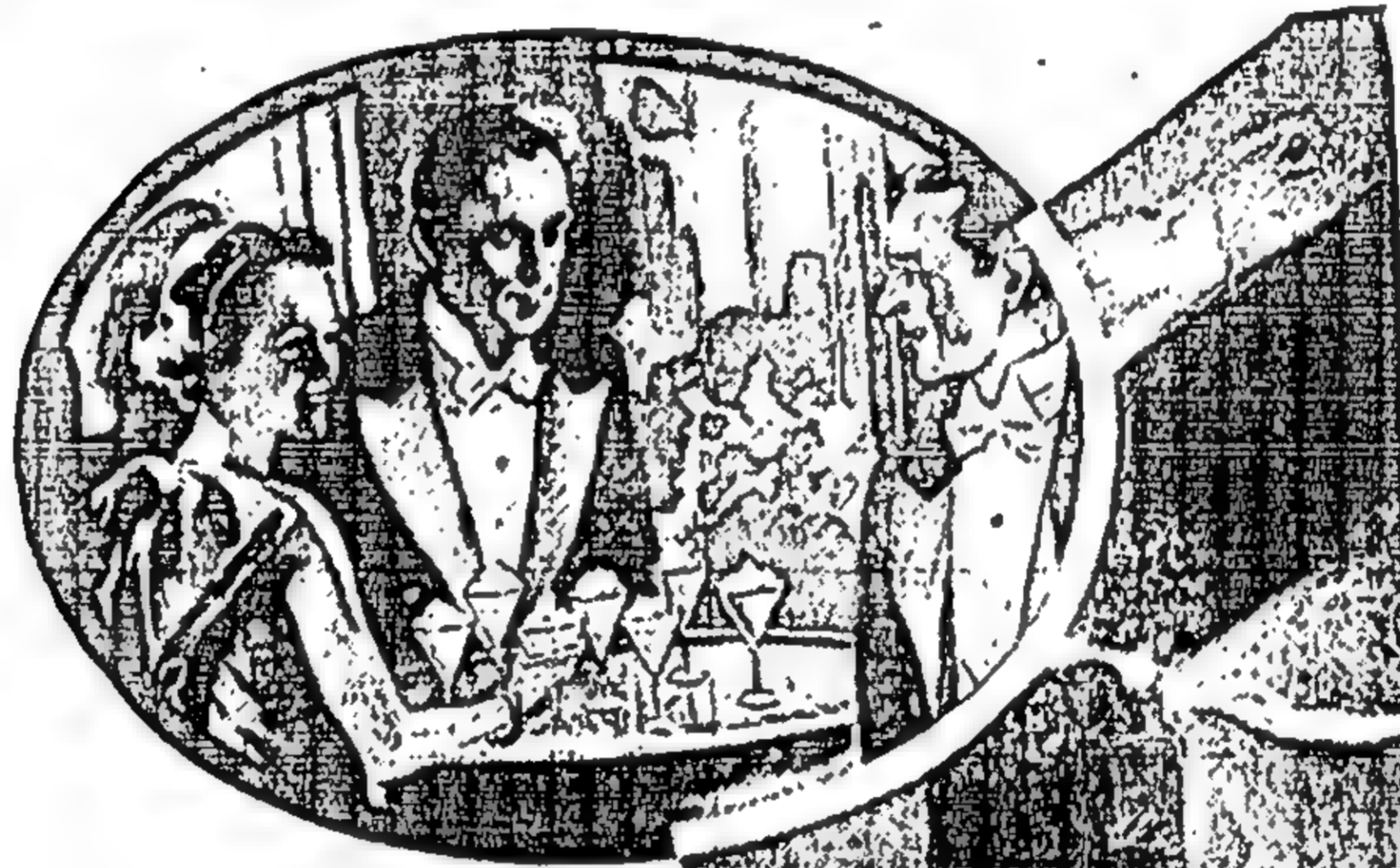
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## A Barrister's Memories

**LORD RUSSELL** of Killowen, a former Lord Chief Justice of England, was one of the most awe-inspiring men who ever sat on the Bench, according to Mr. Gilchrist Alexander, at one time a barrister in the Middle Temple and later Judge of the High Court of Tanganyika, whose reminiscences, "The Temple in the Nineties," are just published at 10/6.

When Russell was at the Bar very few counsel or judges could stand up to him. Even his own clients trembled in his presence.

"It is said," writes Mr. Alexander, "that on one occasion one of his clients, a City solicitor, came into his room in the Temple, wearing a fur-lined overcoat with a collar of fur, a garment which Russell abominated.

"He glared savagely at it and barked out:

"Go out of this room and take off that damned coat! It is said that the client meekly obeyed."

"It was entertaining to follow Christopher Cavanagh into Court for one was sure to witness some unconventional work. I shall never forget the expression on the face of Lawson Walton, Q.C., when Cavanagh took objection to some evidence which he was submitting.

"Do ye mane to tell me at my toime of life!" he cried and the sauve Lawson Walter, the Judge and the Bar smiled broadly at this original method of objection."

The author once shared chambers with another Irishman called Saunderson, whose quickness of wit often helped him to cover up deficiencies in the technique of his profession.

"I remember on one occasion asking him what he had been occupied with that day. 'A defence at Marlborough Street Police Court,' he replied, 'wife assault.'

"What was your defence?" I asked. "To tell you the truth—I had no defence."

"What did you do?" "Well," he laughed, "the husband was accused of throwing the meat at his wife when they sat down to dinner and the best I could do was to get out the fact that there was no bone in it."

Some of the stories in this pleasant and amusing book may be apocryphal but they are none the worse for that. For instance there is the tale of a distinguished Canadian K.C. who had come to England to argue a case in the Privy Council.

Now the members of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council whose duty it is to consider appeals from all parts of the Empire are men of mature experience and ripe years.

During the course of his case, the Canadian barrister was asked how he had got on.

"He fixed his eyeglasses in his eye and looked round 'Waal,' he said, 'I reckon that I have the three deaf ones in my favour, but I'm not so sure about the two blind ones.'"

Finally, a story about a well-known figure at the Patent Bar in the old days, Sir Arthur Colfax, who was very deaf.

He had been arguing some very elementary law and the late Viscount Hanworth, then Master of the Rolls, began to get restive.

"Really, Sir Arthur," he intervened, "You would think that we knew no law at all." Sir Arthur heard not a word of this but determined not to admit his handicap in any way, smiled brightly and said, "I agree entirely, my lord." Then, ignoring the rathering frown on the face of the Master of the Rolls, he added, looking round at the silks beside him, "And my learned friends who are associated with me are of the same opinion."

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# The Week's Photography

THIS MONTH'S  
SUBJECT:  
**'Boat Life'**

By "Lens-Hood"

**F**OLLOWING on my paragraph last week concerning the car I purchased, I have had no less than eleven letters from various gentlemen offering cars for sale. They all stress the fact that their machines are absolutely reliable, but to all of them I have turned a blind eye. My mind is made up: Photography, first, last and always!

## Enlarging

Apparently the latest thing in enlargers is to have Neon lighting instead of the ordinary electric bulb. Neon lighting has the advantage of being much more intense and the rays are in that part of the spectrum to which bromide paper is most sensitive; by suitable arrangement of the tubes the whole of the negative can be illuminated very evenly and, greatest virtue of all, the light is almost cold.

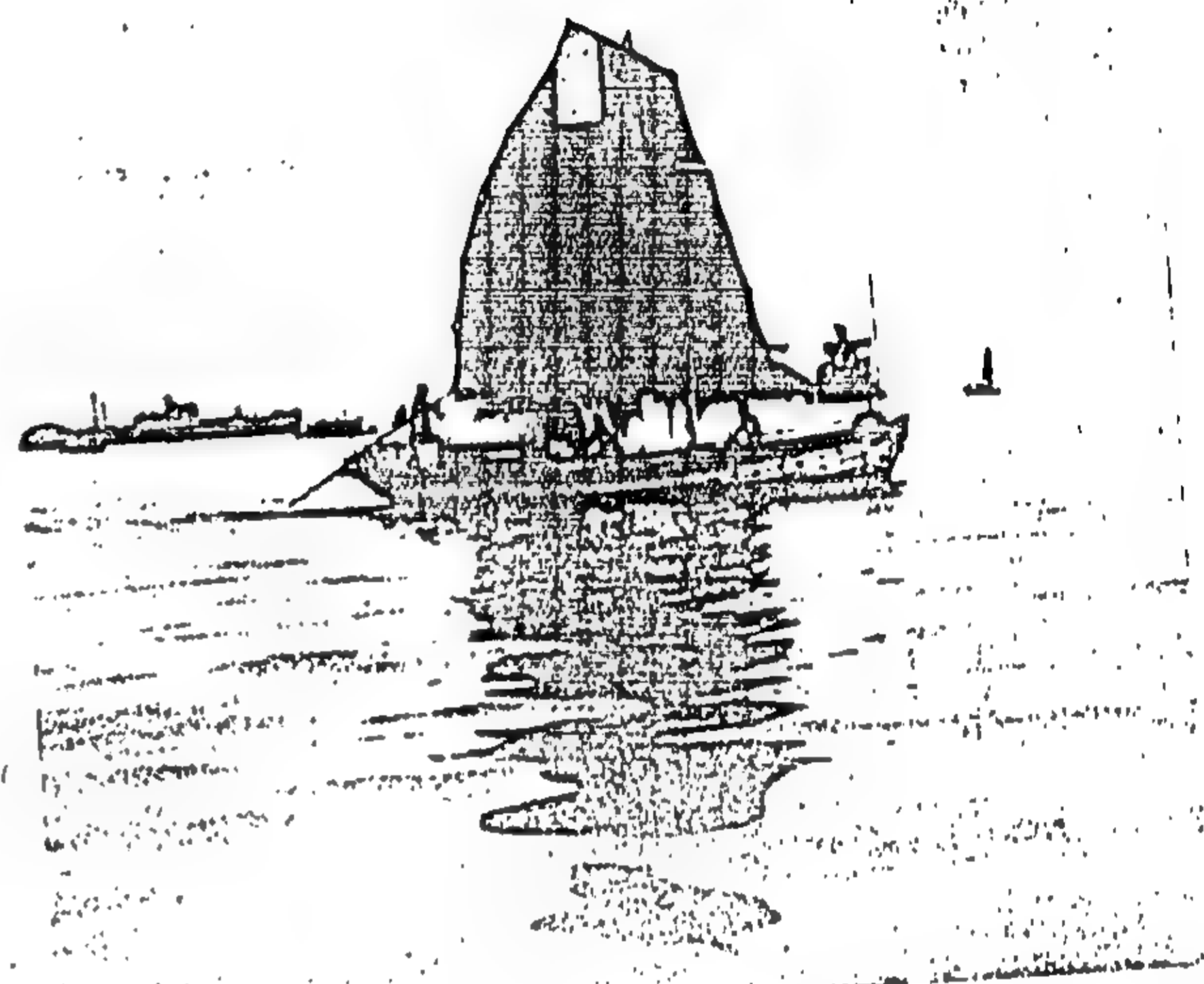
Against this there is the big disadvantage that it is necessary to have a transformer stepping up your house voltage from 250 to nearly 5,000. There is thus a certain amount of danger if the enlarger is carelessly built or handled, although if proper precautions are taken, this danger is minimised as to be almost non-existent. I hope to make an enlarger of this type myself

some day, and in the meantime would be very glad to hear from any amateur who is using a Neon light for illumination.

This week's entries exhibit quite a high standard of photography, and each treats its subject sympathetically and well. Mr. Banks's picture is well caught and is rather similar to a prize-winning Roliflex picture I have seen. This does not amount to plagiarism however, as a picture can be taken in a thousand different ways and still be interesting.

Concerning the entry by Mrs. Clark, I like particularly the fine cloud effect behind the sail, and the oily reflections in the water. Mr. Evans's picture, "Patience" is an excellent example of what may be achieved with a comparatively cheap camera, a Voigtlander Brilliant (7.7 lens. Detail rendering is excellent, and the whole thing goes to prove once again that it is not the camera which makes the picture but the man behind it.

I would advise all competitors to send in their prints for next month as early as possible. This facilitates staff work, and enables a better selection to be made. The coupon on this page may be used for the August contest which is "Street Scenes." This covers everything witnessed in Hong-Kong's streets from fat hawkers



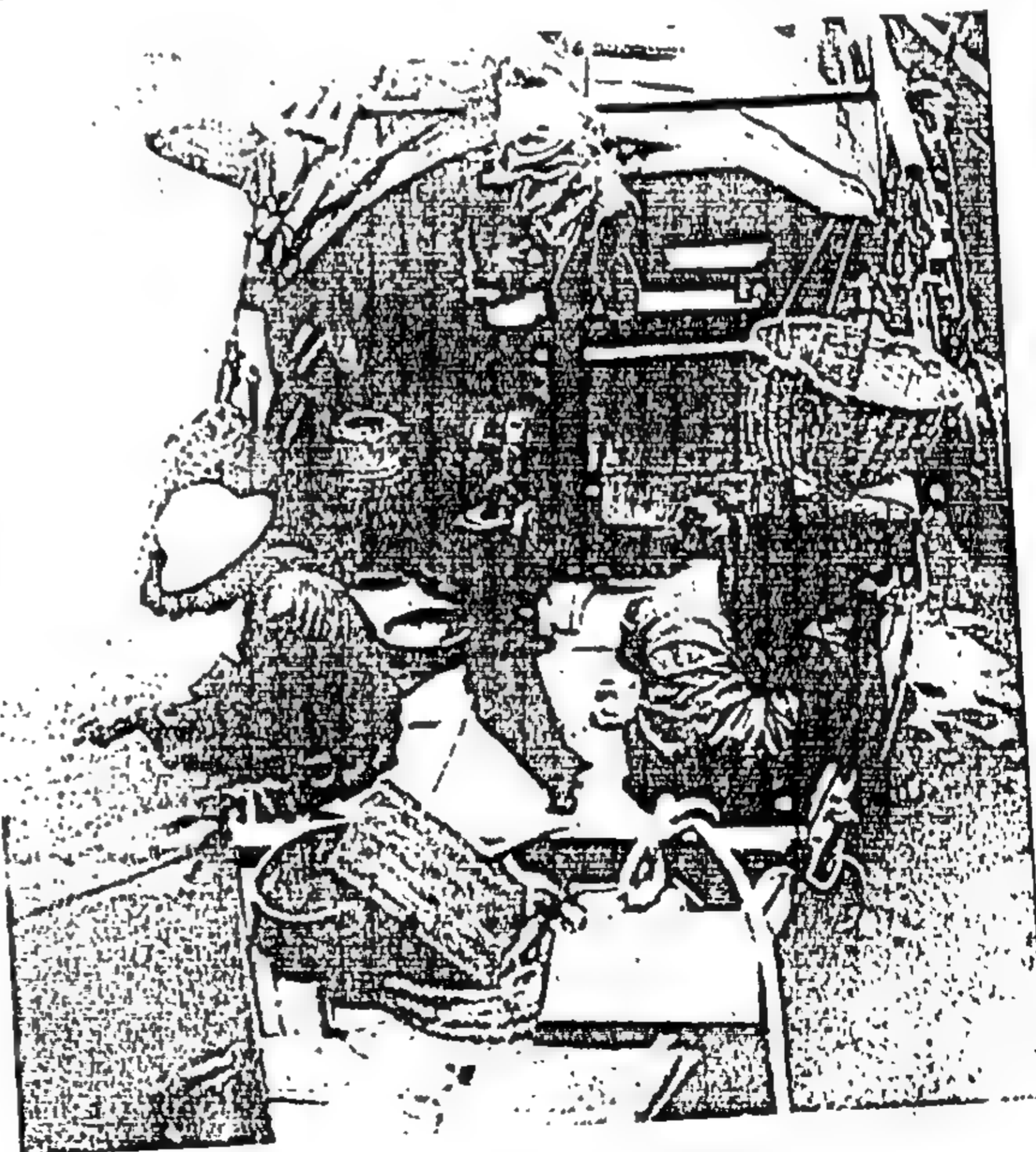
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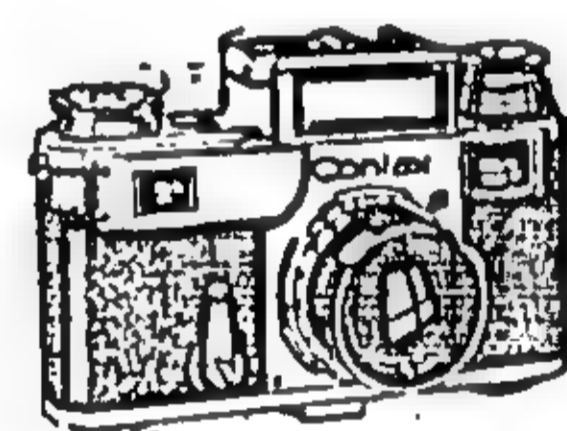
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# The Penalty Of Marriage

EVERY right-thinking person in the civilised world to-day recognises that it is the desire of every normal woman to marry, yet present-day conditions make the marriage rites deprive women in professions of their rights.

The women of Britain have now realised that though they have attained their desire to enter the professions, marriage automatically debars them from continuing in their chosen careers. Therefore they are demanding that this ban be removed.

The demand is being made simultaneously to the British Government by women engaged in various departments under its control, the women concerned feeling that it is unfair that they should be regarded as no longer competent to perform their duties because they have married.

Their argument is that, having spent considerable sums of money to gain the knowledge to permit them to qualify as doctors, lawyers, teachers and civil servants, this money is wasted eventually as they are no longer allowed by the Government to continue to practise their profession when they marry.

In May the members of thirty women's organisations combined to celebrate "Equality Day" and demonstrations were staged in London and in all the leading cities in the provinces. The object of the demonstrations was to request that women in professions be granted the right to continue at work after marriage and that the Prime Minister should receive a deputation to discuss the matter.

Lady Balfour of Burleigh is the leader of the Open Door Council which represents women in many of the leading professions, and this Council has actively associated itself with the movement to abolish the marriage ban. The other women's organisations which have combined with the same object in view include among their members women scientists, lawyers, university teachers, actresses and civil servants.

It is difficult to imagine why women should be regarded as unfit to continue in their work merely because they have acquired a wedding ring.

There is, of course, the argument that if they were permitted to continue to work after marriage it would mean that the professions

would become overcrowded. However, it should be borne in mind that for every one woman who desires to continue in her employment after marriage, there are many who have no desire to do so.

It has also been pointed out that after marriage a man has added responsibilities and expenses, yet in many cases women have remained unmarried because they were supporting parents or delicate relatives. They have the same responsibilities as a married man, but these are considered as cancelled on their marriage and their source of income from employment ceases.

In what subtle way does a woman's work at her profession suffer when she marries?

In the commercial world there are a great many typists and shop assistants who continue to work after marriage in several business houses married women are preferred to spinsters. But women who have had to pay far more for their training than have the average typist or shop assistant find that they can no longer continue in their profession.

Yet their work is, in the case of those women who have qualified to become doctors or to do research work, of great value to humanity, while the typist or shop assistant could quite easily be replaced by another.



An attractive costume worn at Repulse Bay last week-end. ("Herald" photo).

By D.I.F.

## Pioneer Of The Pacific

"Magellan." By Stefan Zweig. (Cassel, 12/6.)

COLUMBUS set out to find the western route to the Indies and discovered America; John and Sebastian Cabot tried to find a passage to Japan and saw the snowbound shores of Newfoundland; Balboa looked down upon a mighty ocean from a peak in Darien. Then, in 1519, Ferdinand Magellan, with a fleet of five small Spanish ships, left the port of Seville in search of the fabled Spice Islands.

It is the story of this voyage that forms the major portion of Stefan Zweig's biography of Magellan.

Mr. Zweig tells us how Magellan tamed rebellious captains and mutinous crews, how he fought his way onwards despite the hunger, thirst and fever that ravaged his men, how he battled against the thunderous artillery of the elements and won his way through straits that to-day bear his name, into a vast ocean that he called the Peaceful Sea, the Pacific.

Of all the voyages of discovery, this was to prove the most notable for, though of the five ships that sailed from Seville, one only completed the voyage, this ship had circumnavigated the world!

But much else was discovered besides the amazing fact that the earth was round, the passage between Patagonia and the Fire Island that led into the Mare Pacific, the fact that the Americas were not a part of the Indies, island of all sizes, including the Philippines and the Moluccas, famed island of Spices.

But Magellan was dead, killed by the spear thrusts of aborigines at the very gate to the Spice Islands which he had set out to find.

Writing as always with vigour, expressiveness and beauty, Mr. Zweig, in the pages of this book, brings fire to the dead

## New Ideas From Paris

TWIN diamond circlets, worn like headlights just above a woman's forehead, are among the new jewel fashions from Paris.

Long artificial eyelashes are coming back into fashion. This is the view of eyelash traders in Paris, who declare that we are in for a big eyelash revival.

The hats that will top the new fashions are out in Paris. They are exciting, flattering and different.

Good news to women in general is the announcement that berets are back in style after all those skyscrapers we've been wearing. The new berets are wide and squashy and they're trimmed with feathers and wings.

Dresses are much shorter than last season and sports ensembles are useful and practical, being formed of simple dresses or skirts, three-quarter coats, and capes.

Jewellery is as grand as it can be at night. Necklaces, bracelets, earrings and tiaras twinkle and flash on low décolletées.

By day, simplicity itself is chic—semi-precious stones set austere, broad beaten silver bracelets.

Generally speaking, shoulders are less broad. They are sloping, and go well with the

ashes of history and gives us a living and clear-cut portrait of that brave captain who "brought to light things which no one before him had ventured to see or to discover", that steadfast, great and lonely man who "had throughout life been allowed only to bear the burdens and never to enjoy the fruits of success"—Magellan, Pioneer of the Pacific.

slenderness of the hips.

Puffed sleeves are popular and another feature is the wearing of stockings of darker shades to counteract the effect of brilliantly coloured ensembles.

I did not know there were so many foxes in the world. I did not know it was possible to get so many on the same cape.

Jackets reign from the briefest of boleros to five-eighths or three-quarter length. Coats, unless full-length, can be seven-eighths or nine-tenths.

From the Queen Margot country dressmakers are borrowing very characteristic sleeves standing out straight at the shoulders, giving the silhouette a new line.

The wittiest designer of dresses in the mode circulated among her friends fans, decorated with one large black Japanese silhouette and one small Chinese red one, saying: "This is my new line."

It will be chic to wear brightly coloured kid shoes with cocktail clothes and just as vivid gloves studded with embroideries.

This season, décolletées are being cut on the bias with a large bow on the shoulder. Many are the skirts with volants and short, trains.

Materials are nearly always smooth, sometimes with a little foule surface decoration.

Geometric plaids are all important. But Paris sees them from a new angle, and shows you how to make two straight lines meet a curved situation slimly.

Cheeks are the things to back this season. Paris endorses them for all figures. Take your share—if you want a good stock of chic.



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MARLENE Dietrich was anything but smart when she first arrived from Germany. But she was then, and is now, passionately fond of clothes and has become fashion's slave. But that's since she put American women into pants and then took hers off.

Fitters can faint by the wayside, but Marlene goes on forever. And

## Mainly about WOMEN

will stand for hours lost in admiration. She's even worn clothes out that way, before they ever reached the set. They're made as many as four or five dresses for the same scene. But that

day's gone now—she's promised to be a good little girl.

Marlene went to a fancy dress ball as Leda and the swan. The swan was delivered with green eyes. Marlene didn't like the

glint in them—she wanted blue, and waited three hours while a new swan's head was made with eyes embroidered in that colour. The swan and Marlene arrived happy—though a snip late.

She used to be frugal, and would carry the longest train over her arm to preserve it. Until Travis hinted that glamour stars didn't do that. Imagine his surprise on coming out one of our openings, to see Marlene, perfect in white chiffon with a long train. Her car couldn't quite make it to the curb—she had to step over a gutter of water. She did, the train trailed through it. With a smile and a wink to Travis, she was rushed into the night.

### WHEN WEST CAME WEST

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## Governor's Visit To Canton



His Excellency Sir Geoffrey Northcote, Governor of Hong Kong, (centre) accompanied by the British Consul-General, Mr. A. P. Blunt, (left) paid an official call on His Excellency General Wu Te-chen, Governor of Kwangtung, at the Governor's house.



H.E. Sir Geoffrey Northcote during the recent visit.



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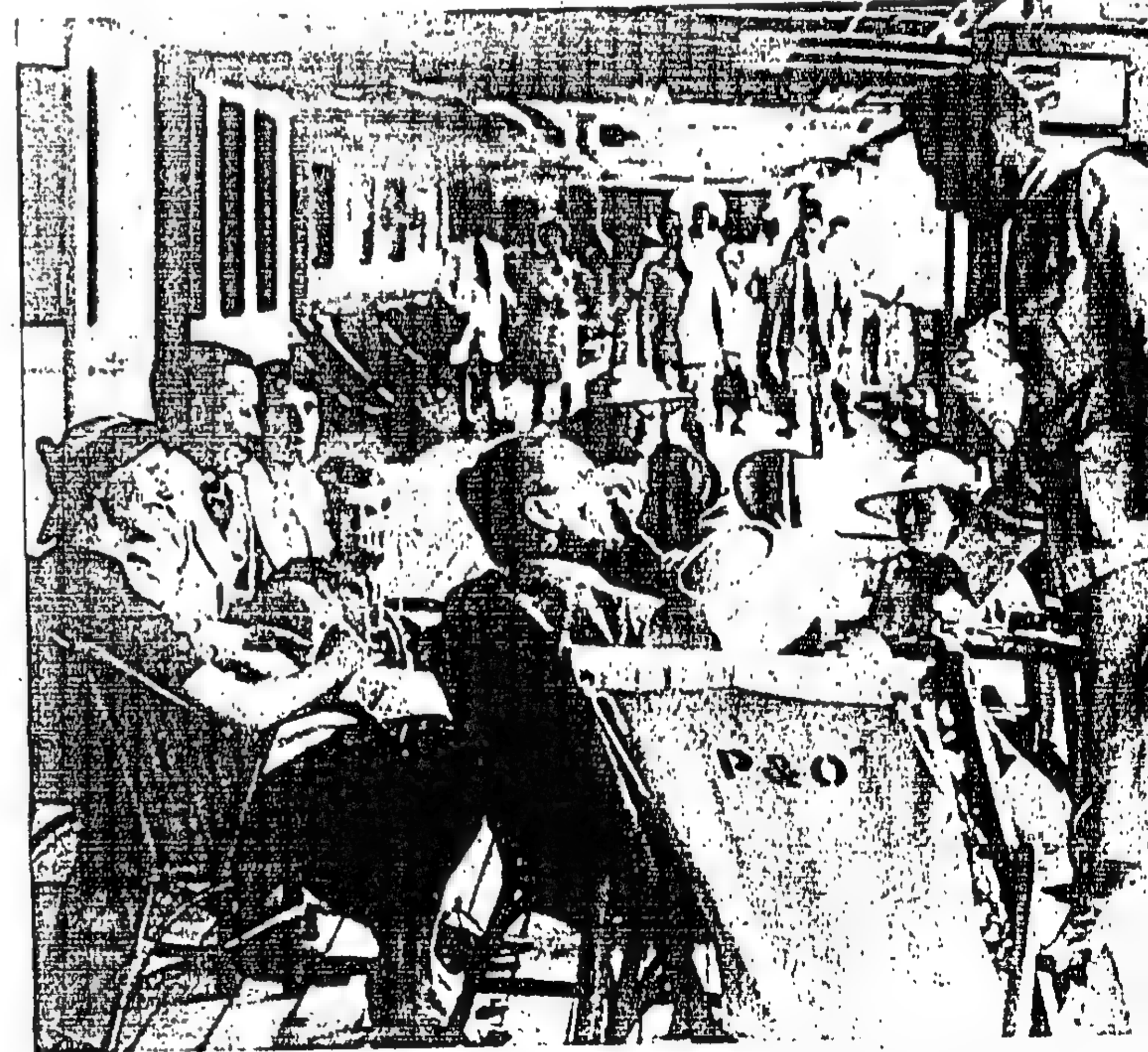
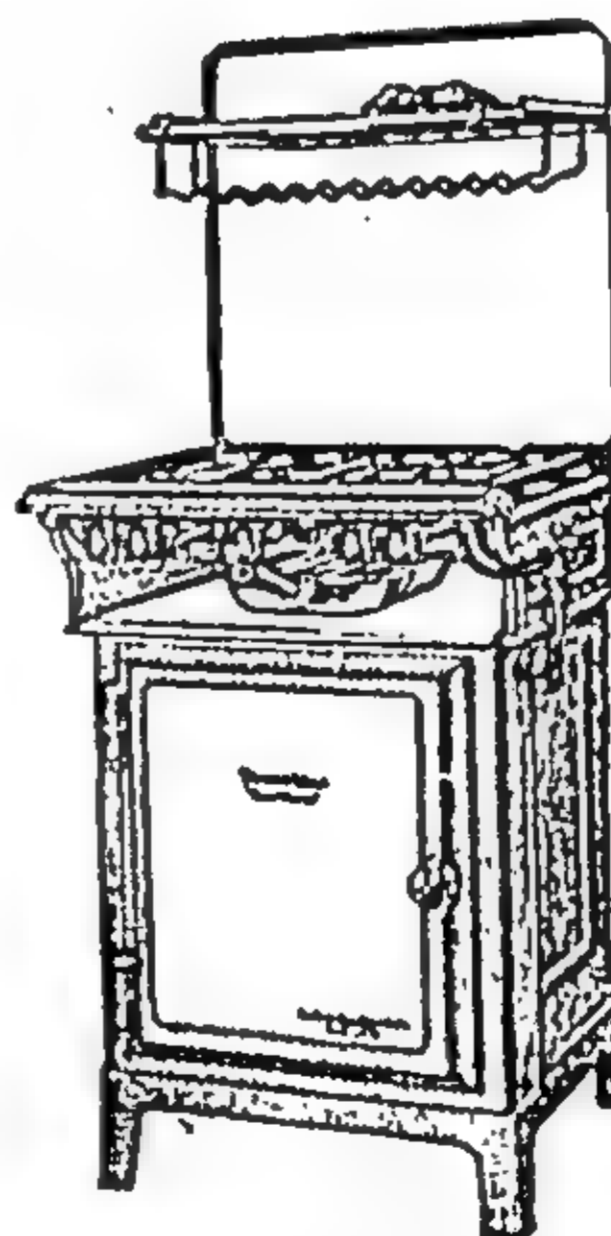
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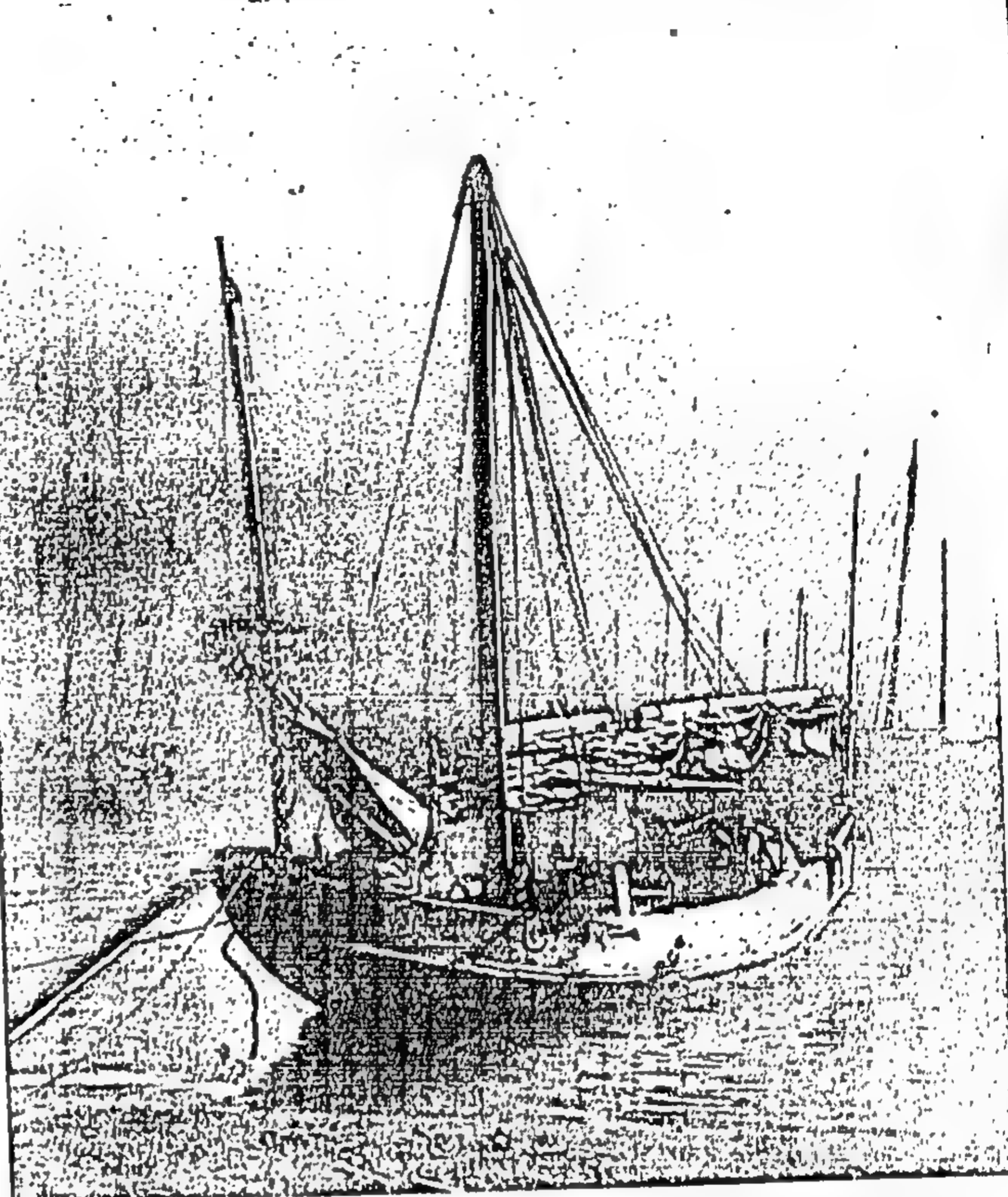
(At right)—3rd Prizewinner in June Volklander Competition. Mr. P. L. Loo. A typical "tunnel" composition which the old masters were so fond of using. The figure walking into the tunnel is so natural and as it was snapped at the right moment it has given a very realistic movement.



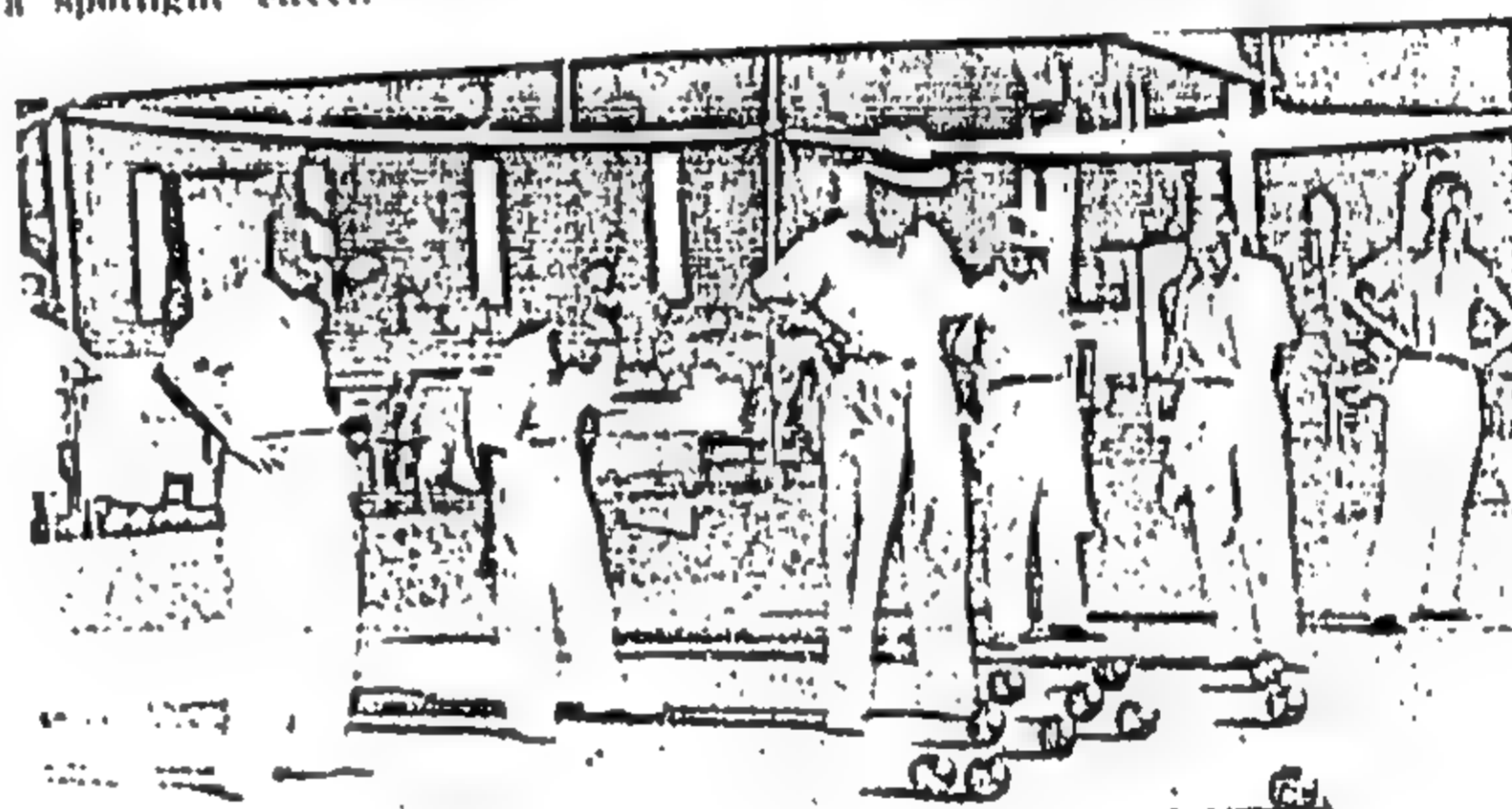
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2nd Prizewinner in June Voigtlander Competition. Miss Molly Funk. Taken on  
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Participants in the Indian Recrea-  
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## Why Wuhan Will Be Defended

THE triple cities of Wuhan—Wuchang, Hankow and Hanyang—are not only important from a strategic point of view, but also because of superstitious reasons.

Now the home of many most important Chinese Government offices, the political and military importance of the cities need no explanation. Superstitiously, there are at least two reasons why the three cities should be defended at all costs.

First of all, Wuchang, formerly ranked as the most important city of the trio, but now it is overshadowed by Hankow, which means "military good luck." Loss of the town on the southern bank of the Yangtse would, therefore, imply a bad omen in the military operations.

Located in the heart of the country, the Wuhan cities are believed by superstitious elements

among the Chinese as the "traveling place" of the God of Wealth.

His Chinese worshippers explain that the God's presence in the Wuhan cities is indicated by the two hills, the Kweishan (Tortoise Hill) and the Sheishan (Snake Hill) in the outskirts of Hanyang and Wuchang respectively.

According to legends, the God of Wealth prefers to show his dignity and to attract reverence by resting his feet on the tortoise and on the snake. On the tops of the two hills, which, by the way, faintly resemble the animals after which they are named, it is said, are to be the invisible feet of the God of Wealth. The three cities, it is related, support the invisible tripod under which is the invisible incense burner.

While Wuchang means "military good luck", Hankow means "at the mouth (kow) of the Han river." Hanyang means "on the right hand of the Han river."

Before the evacuation of the Central Government offices from Nanking to Hankow, Wuchang used to be the political centre of China, being the site of the Hupeh Provincial Government; Hankow, the commercial centre; and Hanyang the slum district, as well as the military area—the site of the Hanyang arsenals. To-day, Hankow assumes importance as the genuine capital of the Chinese nation.—T.C.G.

### "Game"

On the grass court a mixed doubles was in progress, the players in their white rig keenly enjoying the break following strenuous duty hours. "Van In" called the surgeon following a swift low service from which those points were obtained. Came a hurrying messenger towards the court and.....

A hundred yards from the court in the still tense atmosphere of the operating theatre the tennis players are a few minutes later waging another contest....but this time with Death as the opponent. They are all still in white but now the garb of their profession.... A swiftly travelling motor lorry.... an aged woman of 62 crossing the road.... screeching brakes.... the inanimate form on the operating table under the anaesthetic.... just an every day story of the toll of our roads. There is a frill, just a wisp like chance.... amputation of the left leg.... and the surgeons take it. Defly yet unhurriedly they concentrate on the grim work before them, the white sisters and nurses perform machine like, and accompanying duties. Just eight precious minutes pass and the surgeons with their part completed nod to the sister who conclude the operation with the dressings. Tenderly the form is placed on a stretcher and carried to a waiting bed in the ward.

Fifteen minutes go by.... the shock has been too much and the little old lady passes by.... "Game" calls The Reaper. The surgeons bow their heads for a moment in acknowledgment, withal undaunted, for they know the battle must go on....

Just an episode at a local Hospital one Sunday afternoon.

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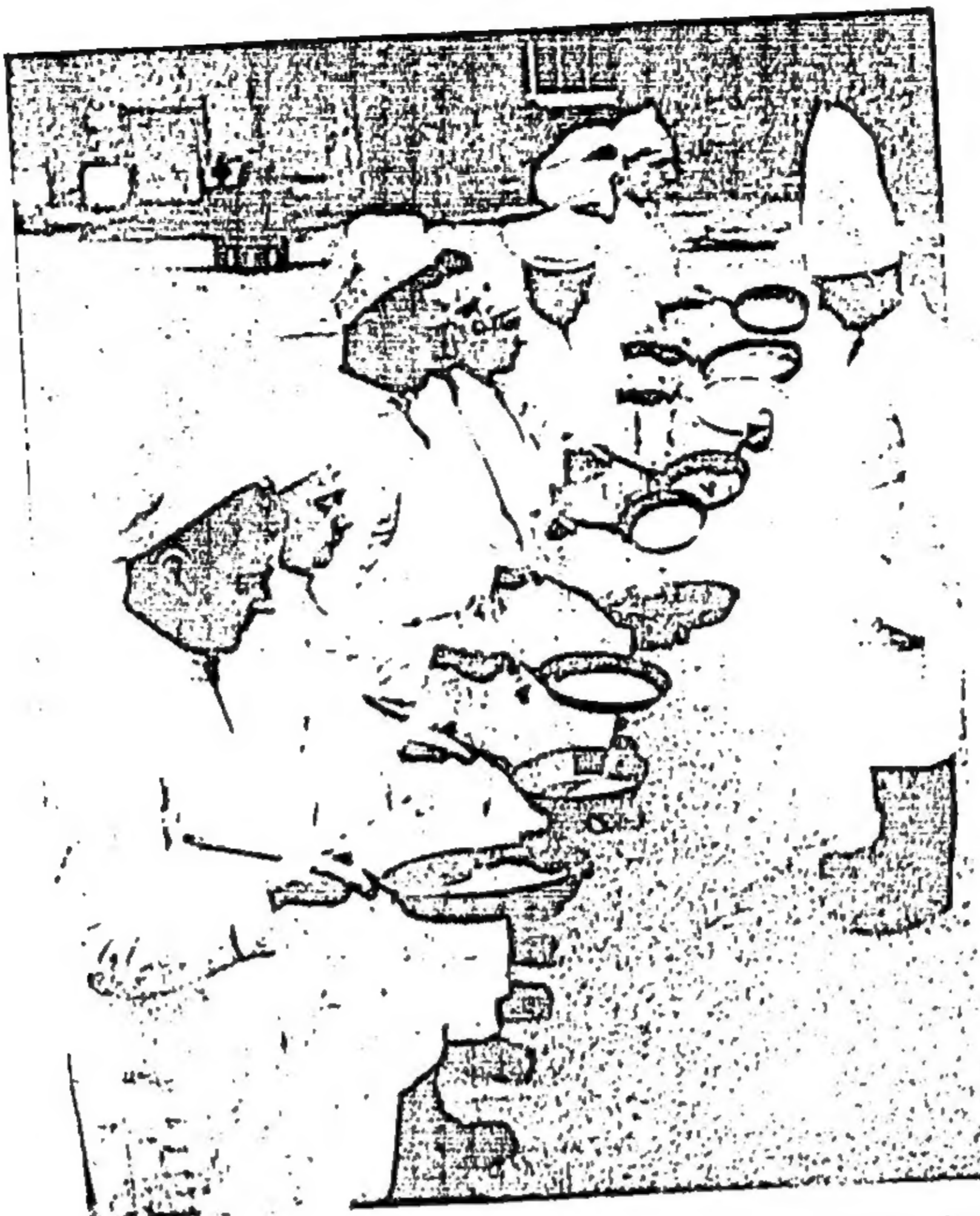
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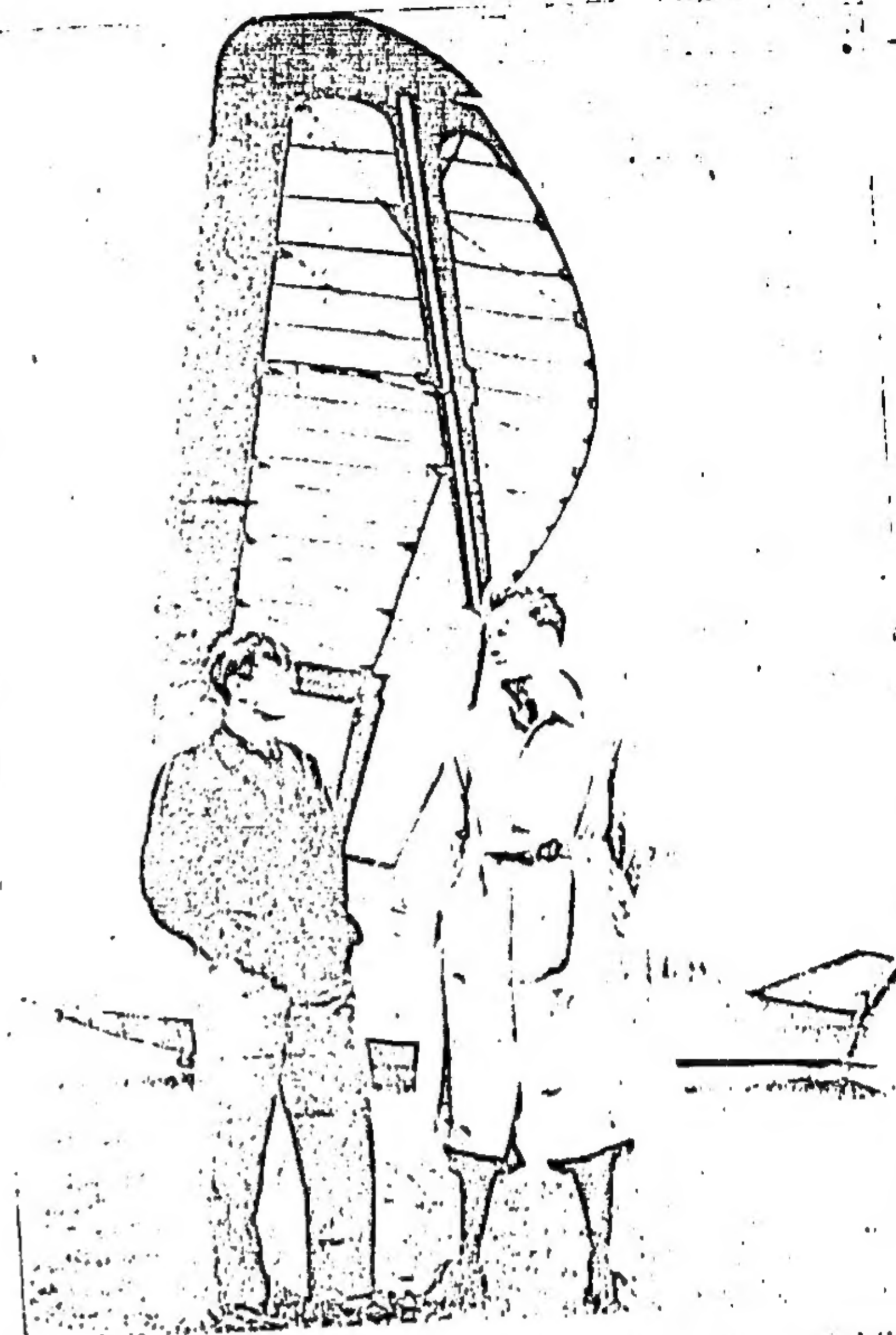
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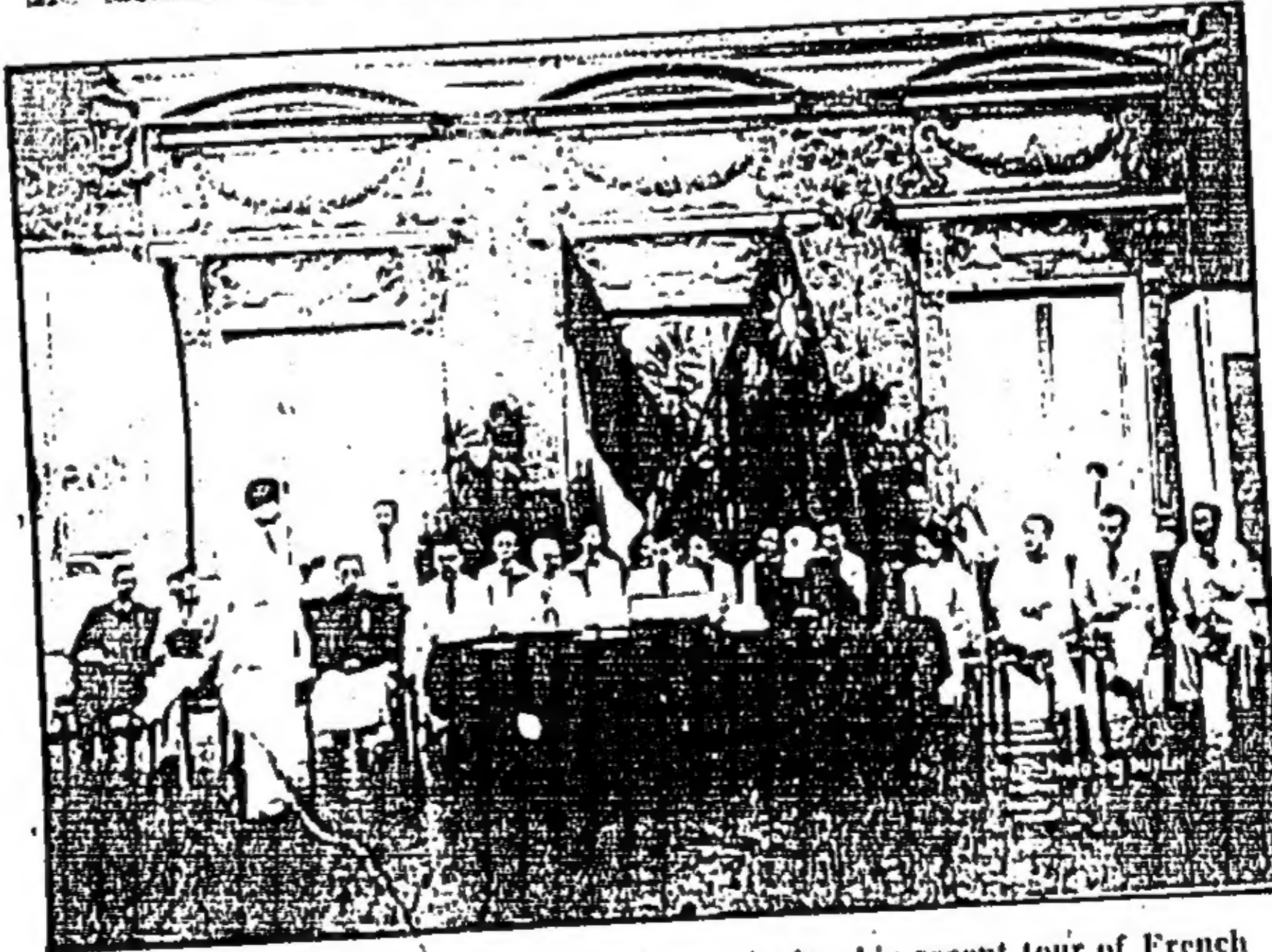
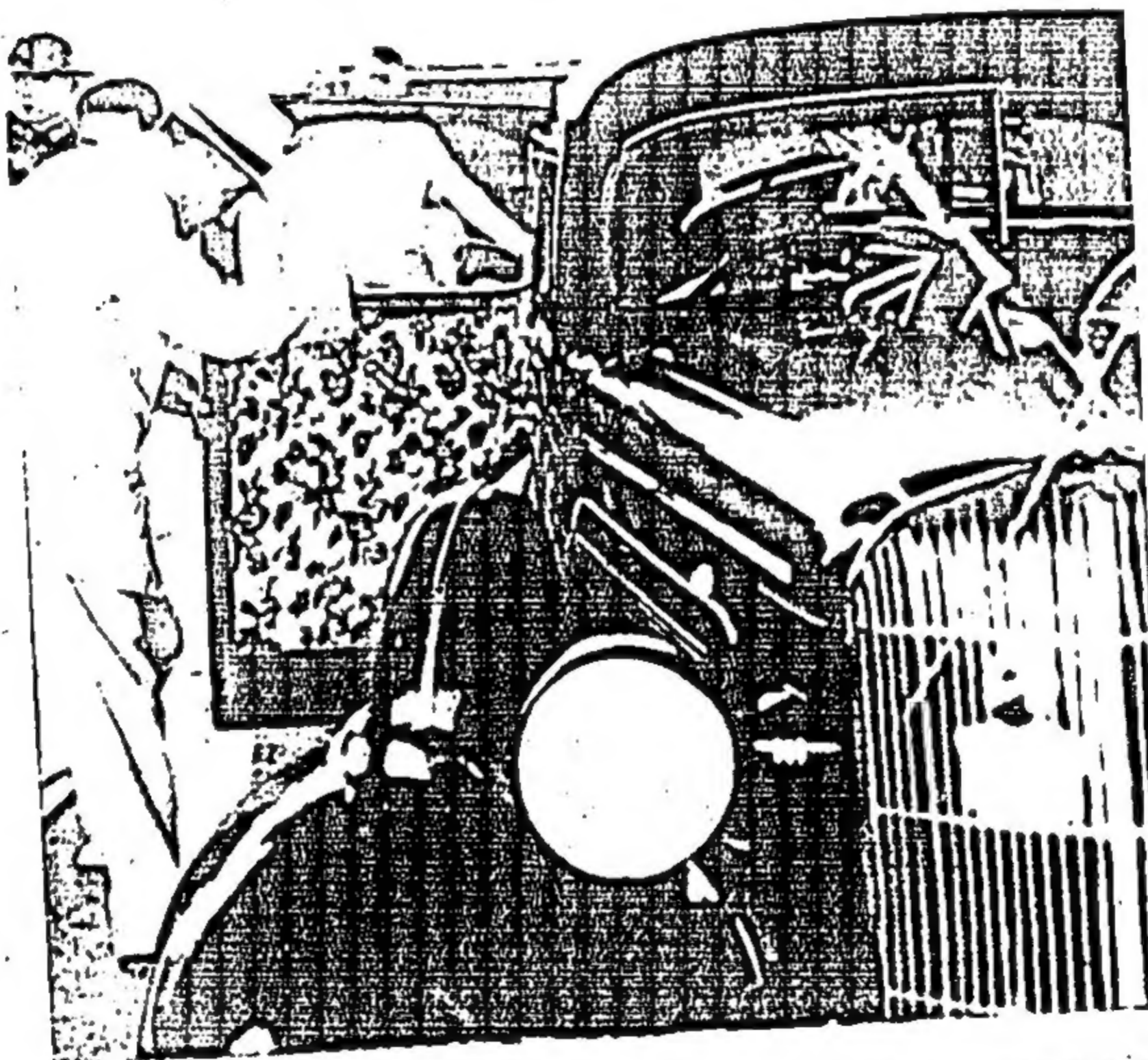


**THE ARMY WILL HAVE PANCAKES.** Army cooks are busy learning to make and "toss" pancakes down at the Army School of Cookery at Aldershot. It's a case of "Up Frying Pans and Toss 'Em" with the cooks at the moment. Photo shows—The instructor inspecting pancakes made by the army cooks at Aldershot.



**THE RECORD BREAKING GLIDERS.** FR. Lt. Murray and Stanley Sproule have created a new gliding record for Britain—beating the previous twenty one hour record. The performance made a fitting opening to the National Gliding Contests at Dunstable where they made the record. Photo shows—Mr. Sproule (left) and FR. Lt. Murray in front of their glider after making their record flight at Dunstable.

(At left)—H.E. Sir Geoffrey Northcote is shown in this photo departing from the Governor of Kwangtung's residence during his recent visit to Canton.



Reception given to Mr. To Kel-cheung during his recent tour of French Indo-China campaigning for aid to China for relief work. The photo shows, Indo-China campaigning for aid to China for relief work. The photo shows, right to left: No. 3, Chinese Consul General at Saigon; No. 4, Mr. To Kel-cheung; well-known Chinese artist; No. 5, The Catholic Mission's representative; No. 6, Governor of Cochín-China; No. 7, The Mayor of Saigon; No. 8, The Vice Mayor of Saigon; No. 9, Mr. To Kel-cheung; No. 10, The Chief Justice.



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## Sports Chatter

Lieut. J. A. H. Douglass, of the Royal Scots, who played stand-off-half at Rugby for the Army team in Hong Kong and who also played for the Colony against Macao in the last Interport hockey encounter, left the Colony for England last Saturday.

The Army are now able to field a very powerful water-polo team, and this combination will probably make its debut on Monday, August 8, against European "A". Among the players are Lieut. J. M. Calvert, Gun. Howell, Gun. R. Norman, Pte. Stemp, Bdr. Wilson and the goalkeeper from the Middlesex Regiment. There are several claimants for the seventh berth, although I understand that the selectors have two or three players who may qualify for the position, one of whom is Sergt. Shearman.

The following will represent the European "B" at water-polo against the Army: W. F. Webb, R. Goldmann and J. Harris; F. Ashford; J. Sloan, W. Dignan and W. F. Kerr. On the last occasion the two teams clashed the Army won by 7 goals to 4 after extra time, the teams sharing eight goals at the conclusion of the first 14 minutes.

Pte. E. Baldwin, who was in the Colony with the 1st Battalion, East Lancashire Regiment some years ago, has done extraordinarily well in the Army Athletic Championships held recently at Aldershot. He established a new Army record for the Half Mile, which he won from Lieut. G. C. Rush, of the Scots Guards, in 1 min. 55 sec., while he came second in the Quarter to Lieut. E. F. Willoughby (2nd Middlesex), the holder.

The Kent Cup lawn bowls competition of Police Recreation Club has now reached the final stage, and E. G. Post's rink (J. Shepherd, W. McKay and G. Perkins) will meet W. McLeod's four (A. E. Carey, F. Channing and A. McDonald).

The Medical Officers of the Government are entering a team in the Goscombe-O'Sullivan Cup lawn bowls competition and will be represented by Dr. J. A. R. Kelly, Dr. J. T. Smalley, Dr. L. Newton and Dr. G. L. Shaw.

As Tsui Hang, former Shanghai Interport goalkeeper, will be playing for Eastern this season, S. Tsang may not be able to retain his position in the team and will probably turn out for South China.

I am given to understand that South China are concentrating on their "A" team this season and are promoting several of the "B" team players, among whom are Young Shui-yick, and Chan Tak-fai. With the return of Lee Wai-long and the assistance of these players, South China should again be very prominent in local football this season.

Half a dozen members of Hong Kong Football Club are to take up judo as from to-morrow. Three lessons a week, at night!

B. Monks, Kowloon Cricket Club lawn tennis player, has left for Saigon on holiday and will be away for some weeks.

Mrs. T. F. Lo, who plays tennis for C.R.C., has returned from a two-months' holiday in the North.

W. S. Drake, Kowloon Bowling Green Club lawn bowler, has left for the United Kingdom.

Congratulations to Miss Sheridan, Shanghai Ladies' Interport hockey forward, whose engagement was recently announced.

W. M. Gittins, of Kowloon Cricket Club, injured his leg while playing tennis last week and will be out of the game for some time.

I am reliably informed that Hong Kong Electric are entering a team in the Third Division of the local Football League next season. They should have a good team as they will have the services of several players who have played for Liga Portuguesa and Eastern.

N. Beltrao, Recreio cricketer who injured his knee in a baseball game recently, is now much better, but may not be fit for the start of the cricket season.

The Philippines Amateur Athletic Federation, who are still hoping that they will be able to visit the Colony for a series of soccer games, have again written to the Hong Kong Football Association. The matter will be brought up at the next committee meeting.

The Service Corps have three good goalkeepers in Hartley, formerly of the Middlesex, Smith and Moore. They will be playing again in the Third Division of the Football League, and it is more than probable that at least one of these three will play for a civilian club.

Manning, the Police soccer goalkeeper, is going on Home leave before the start of the season, and it is understood that W. Macfarlane will again be seen between the sticks.

Tam Kong-pak, former soccer Interport of South China Athletic Association, may not be able to play this coming season as he is now employed in Canton.

## By the Judge

Dr. C. W. Lam, Craigengower Third Division lawn bowls player, created a sensation at his club recently when he beat A. M. Omar in the First Round of the Club Singles Championship.

A. M. Omar, who last season turned out for Craigengower in the Cricket League, will be playing in the First Division of the Soccer League for St. Joseph's this season.

Eastern Athletic Association, who are reputed to have a very good team for the coming season, will be sharing the Hong Kong Club ground for their matches.

Miss Ujian Khoo, Hong Kong University badminton player, has returned to the Colony after spending a short vacation in Singapore. I understand she will be playing in the forthcoming Badminton League.

It is learned that St. John's Badminton Club, will be competing in the Mixed Doubles Badminton League this coming season. Last season they were forced to withdraw at the opening of the League owing to lack of lady players.

Provided they have sufficient support, Hong Kong Jockey Club will be entering a team in the Men's Doubles Badminton League this coming season. They have a number of very good players.

Miss Peggy McNaw will be turning out for St. John's Badminton Club this season in the Mixed Doubles League. She has always represented St. John's, prior to last season.

Hong Kong cricketers will be interested to learn that Lieut. Olive Garthwaite, for so many years a stalwart of the Army side in Hong Kong, is playing with fair regularity for Woolwich Garrison and the M.C.C.

W. E. Hollands has again been elected to represent Eastern Athletic Association on the Council of Hong Kong Football Association.

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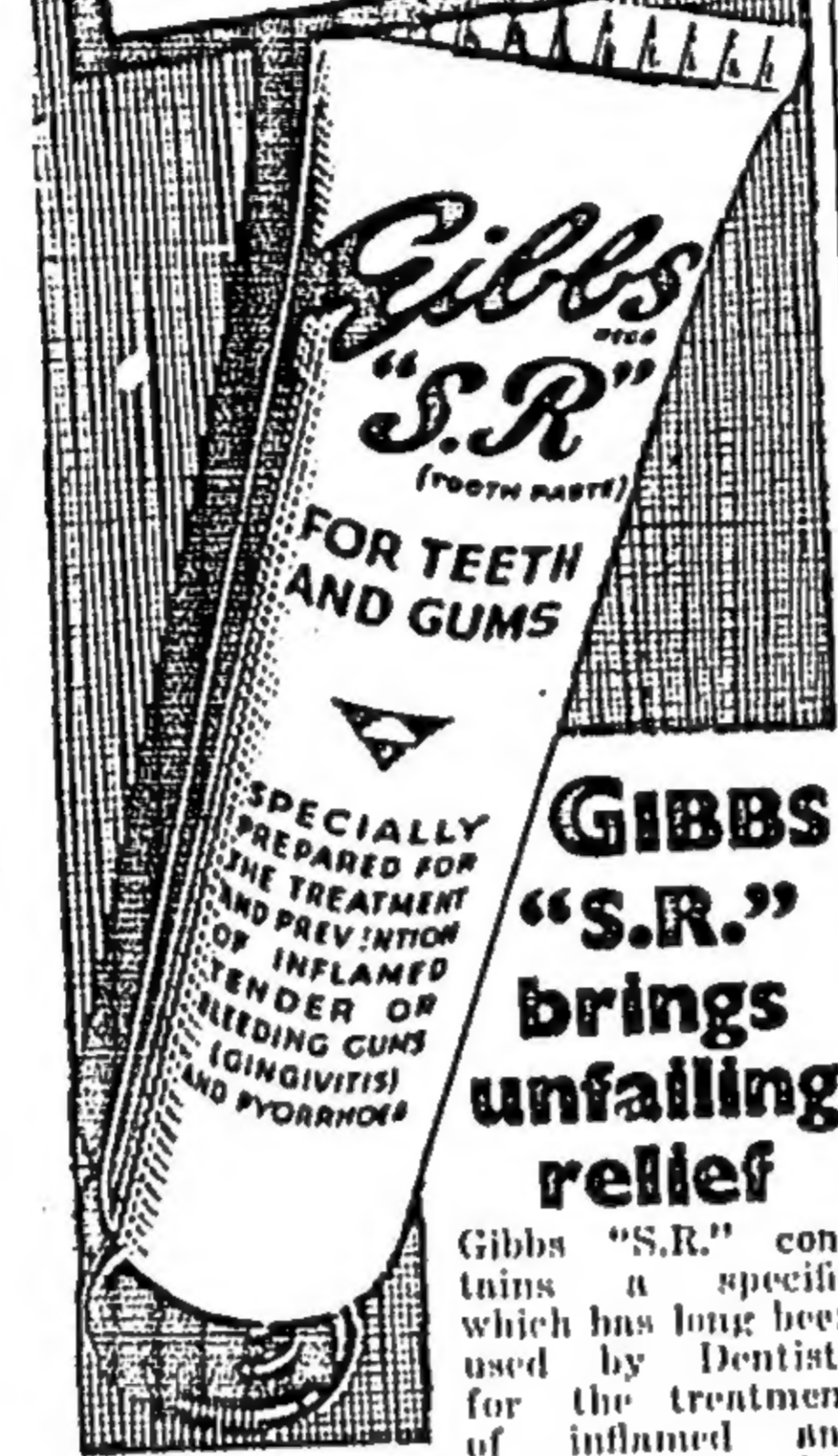
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### A FAST BALLOON

Dan Judd, service station operator in Sapulpa, Oklahoma, released at 3 p.m. on February 5, a small balloon, to which he attached a note offering a free grease or wash job to the finder. At 12.10 p.m. on February 6, Jesse P. Lietz of Southampton, Long Island, New York, saw the balloon light on the beach sand dunes and roll down into the water, where he retrieved it. To make good on his promise, Mr. Judd sent Mr. Lietz G.\$1.00 to have his car greased. The balloon had been carried 1,200 miles in a little over 20 hours.

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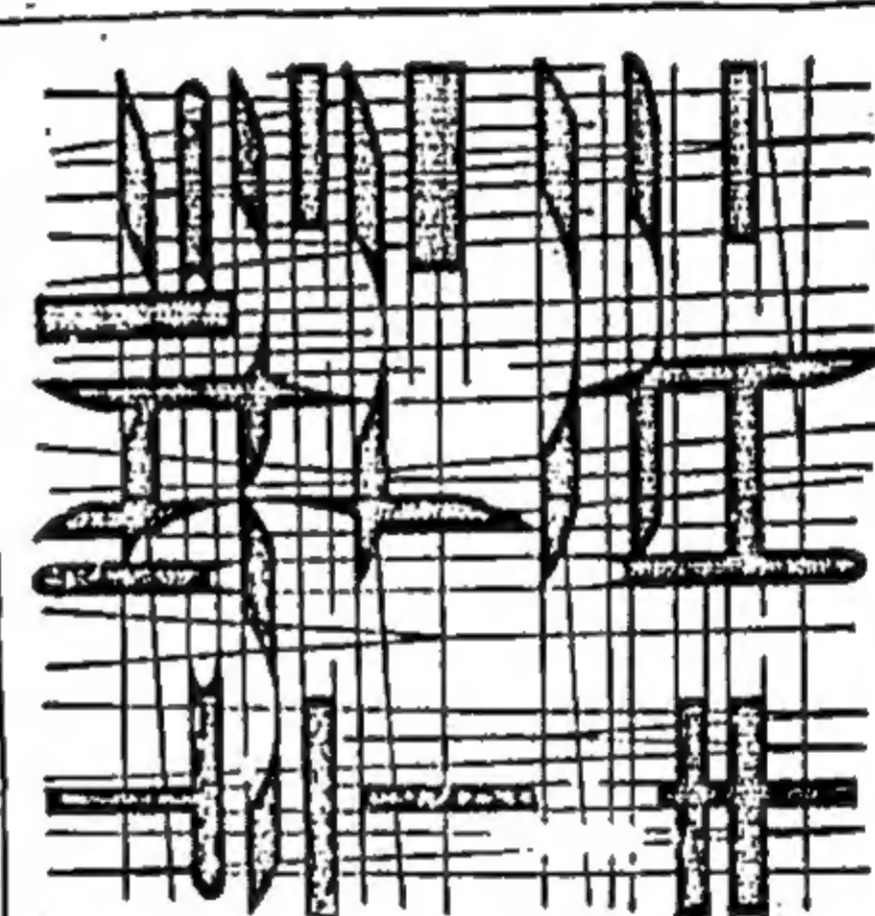
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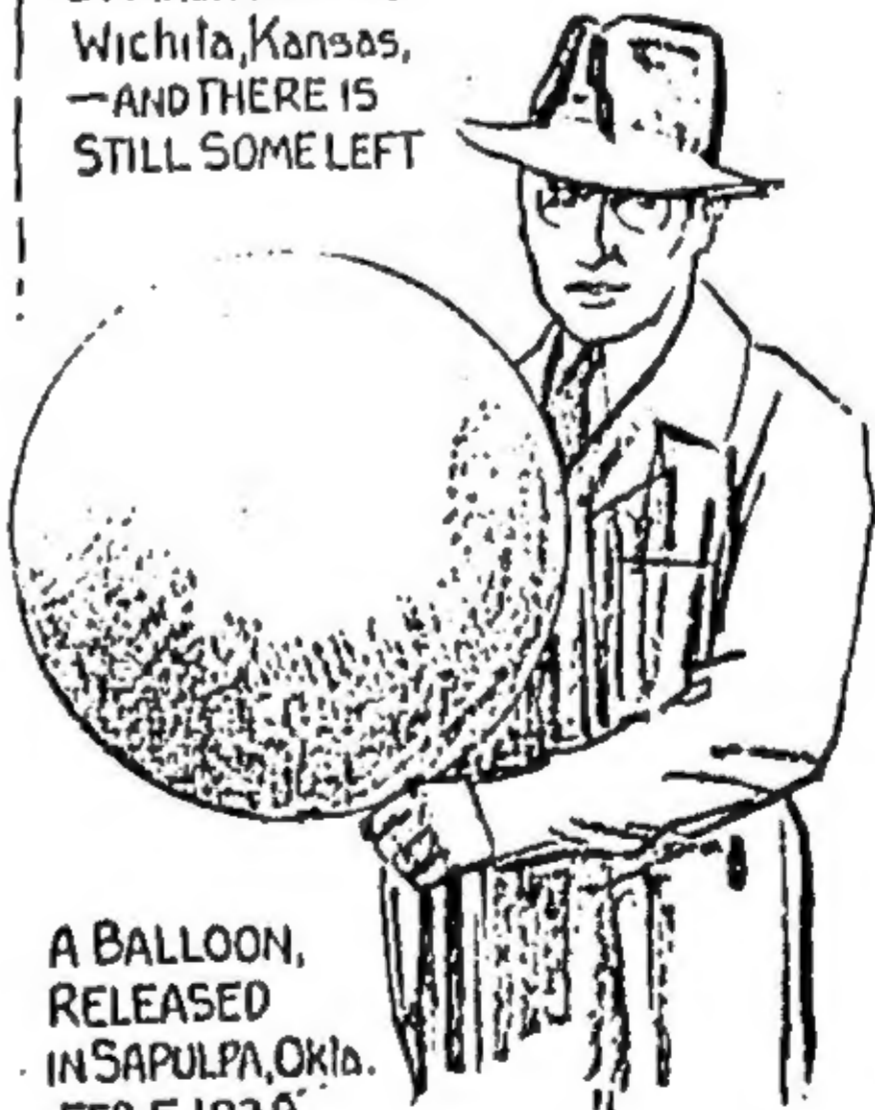
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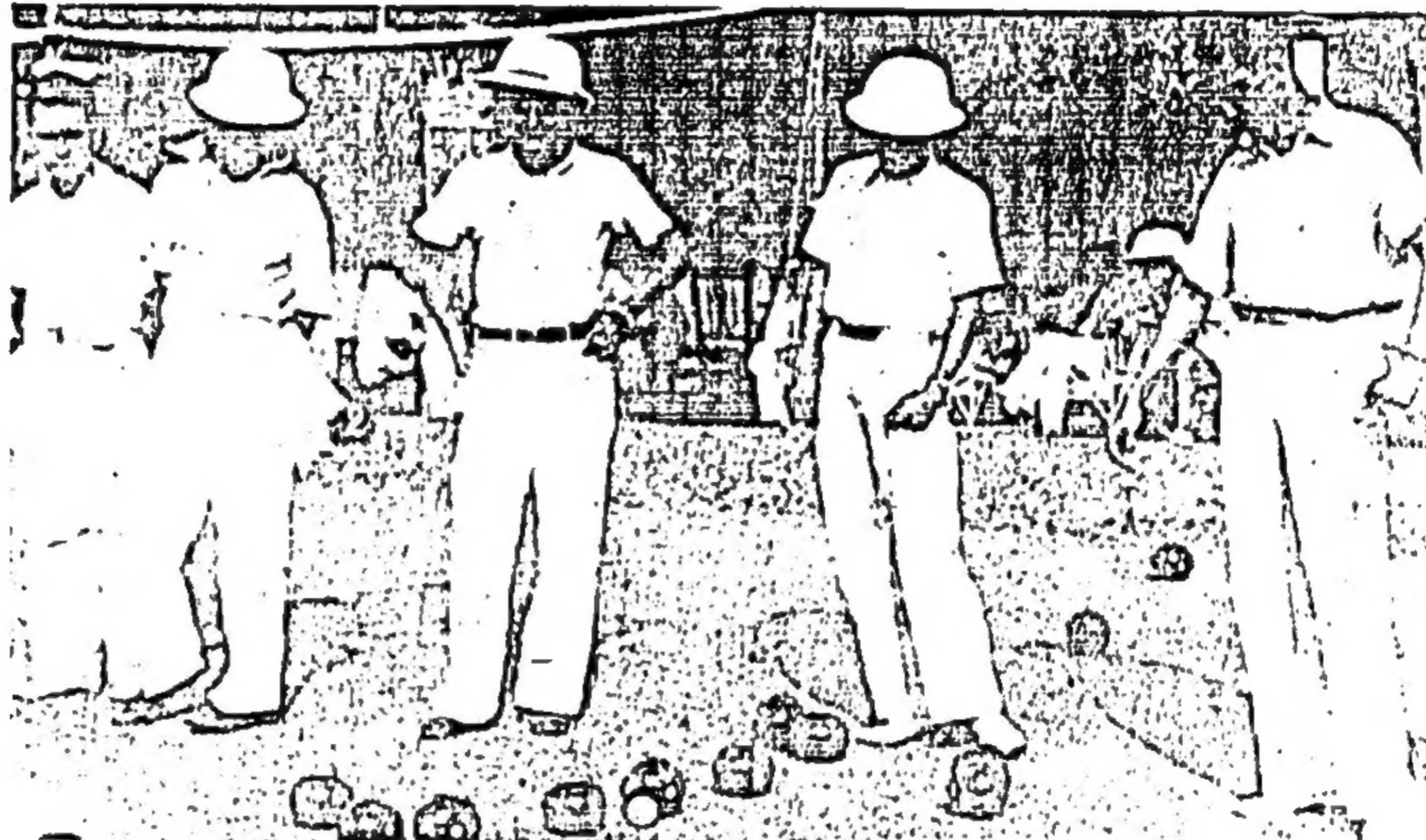
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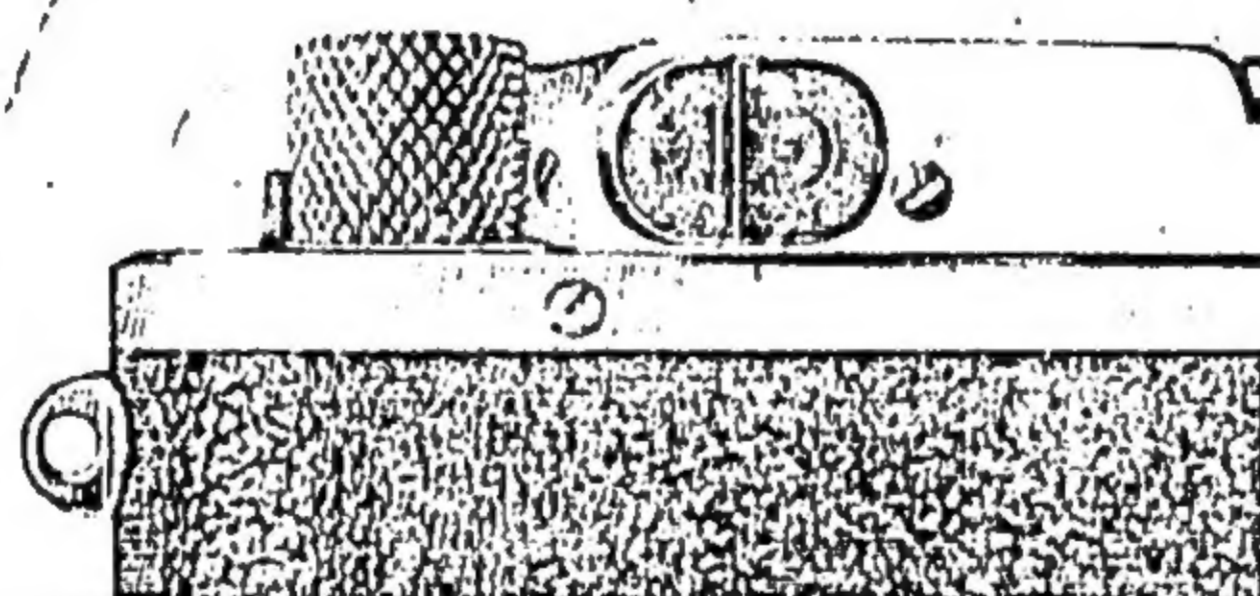
Mr. C. Goldin, general Manager of the Majestic Theatre in Kowloon, and a group of friends snapped on the beach at Repulse Bay. ("Herald" photo).



Intent on their game, this group of Indian Recreation Club and Club de Re-creio players at Sookunpoo last Saturday pay little or no attention to the cameramen. ("Herald" photo).



Two scenes from the beach show how the youngsters of the Colony spend "their" holidays. ("Herald" photo).



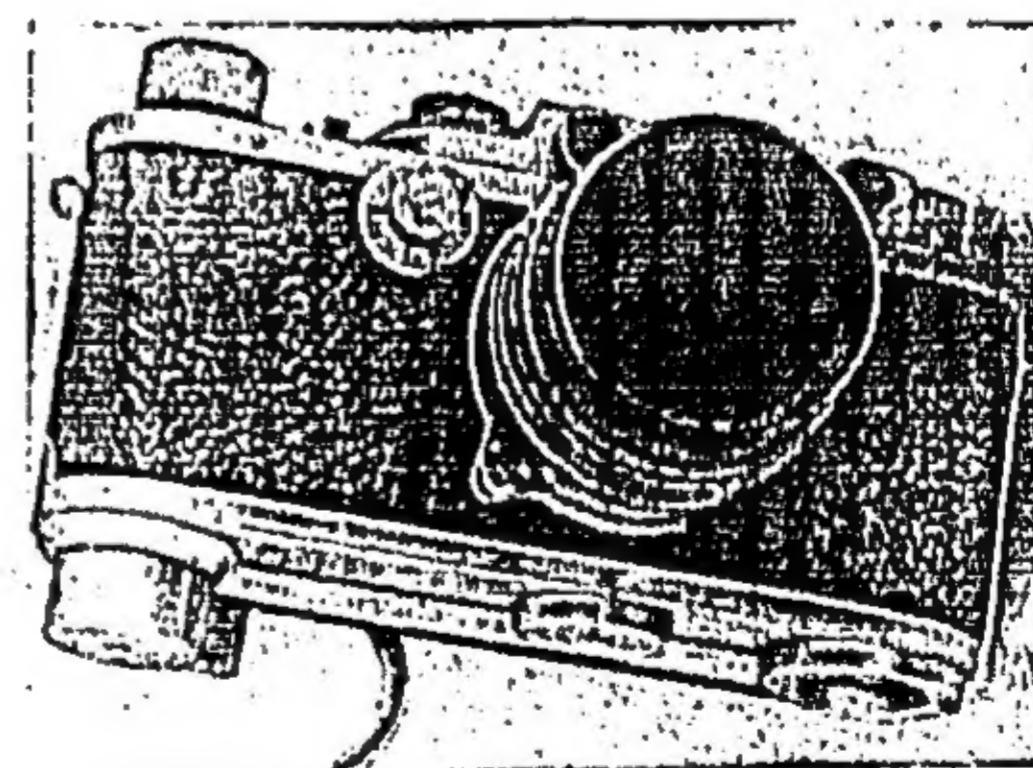
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